

**FORM 3****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES****OMB APPROVAL**

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| <b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b><br><u>Morita Masayuki</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>4650 CUSHING PARKWAY</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>FREMONT CA 94538</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | <b>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)</b><br><u>01/03/2011</u> | <b>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b><br><u>LAM RESEARCH CORP [ LRCX ]</u><br><br><b>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</b><br>Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><u>Vice President</u><br><br><b>5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b><br><br><b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| <u>Common Stock</u>             | <u>19,350</u>   | <u>D</u>   |   |

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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|  | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title  | Amount or Number of Shares                               |   |

Explanation of Responses:

Kym Hall by Power of Attorney 01/11/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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