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FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

					16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act f the Investment Company Act of 194					
LITA Capital LLC		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  LAPIS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ LPST ]						
(Last) (First) 100 EXECUTIVE DRI SUITE 330	(Middle)	01/	_ 01/01/2012		Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director X 10% Owner     Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		fy	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(Street) WEST ORANGE NJ	07052							X	Form filed by Person	More than One Reporting
(City) (State)	(Zip)									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4	l)		Table I - No	2	tive Securities Beneficially  . Amount of Securities leneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct Indirect (I) (In	(D) or	4. Nati 5)	ure of Indirect B	eneficial Ownership (Instr.
		(e.			re Securities Beneficially O ants, options, convertible s					
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. Conversi	rcise		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Deriva Secur	tive	Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Warrant to Purchase Co	mmon Stock		03/01/2012	09/01/2014	Common Stock	952,227	0.5	5(1)	I	By UTA Capital LLC(2
100 EXECUTIVE DRI SUITE 330	(First) VE	(Middle)								
(Street) WEST ORANGE	NJ	07052								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
1. Name and Address of Re YZT Management										
(Last) 100 EXECUTIVE DRI SUITE 330	(First) VE	(Middle)								
(Street) WEST ORANGE	NJ	07052								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
1. Name and Address of Re ALLEGHANY CA										
(Last) 7 TIMES SQUARE TO	(First) OWER	(Middle)								
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Name and Address of Reporting Person*						
ALLEGHANY C	CORP /DE					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				
7 TIMES SQUARE	TOWER					
(Street)						
NEW YORK	NY	10036				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
Name and Address of Reporting Person *						
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				
100 EXECUTIVE D	RIVE					
SUITE 330						
(Street)						
WEST ORANGE	NJ	07052				
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. In accordance with the terms of the warrant, the exercise price with respect to one-third (1/3) of the unexercised warrant shares may be increased to \$1.00 based on Lapis' and its subsidiaries' after-tax consolidated net income for calendar year 2012

2. This Form 3 is being jointly filed by (i) UTA Capital LLC; (ii) the members or beneficial owners of membership interests in UTA Capital LLC, which include (a) YZT Management LLC, a New Jersey limited liability company and the managing member of UTA Capital LLC, and (b) Alleghany Capital Corporation, a Delaware corporation and a member of UTA Capital LLC; (iii) Alleghany Corporation, a publicly-traded Delaware corporation of which Alleghany Capital Corporation is a wholly-owned subsidiary; and (iv) Udi Toledano, the managing member of YZT Management LLC. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Udi Toledano, as Managing Member of YZT Management LLC, as Managing Member of	01/05/2012
<u>UTA Capital LLC</u> /s/ Udi Toledano, as Managing	
Member of YZT Management LLC	01/05/2012
/s/ Peter R. Sismondo, as Vice President and Treasurer of Alleghany Capital Corporation	01/05/2012
/s/ Peter R. Sismondo, as Vice President of Alleghany Corporation	01/05/2012
/s/ Udi Toledano	01/05/2012
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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

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