

LAM RESEARCH CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 14, 2012  
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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**Current Report**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): March 12, 2012

**LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

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**0-12933**  
(Commission File Number)

**94-2634797**  
(IRS Employer Identification Number)

**4650 Cushing Parkway**

**Fremont, California 94538**

(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

**(510) 572-0200**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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(d)

On March 12, 2012, in accordance with the customary practice of Lam Research Corporation (the Company), the Company and Martin B. Anstice entered into an amendment to Mr. Anstice's indemnification agreement with the Company, dated as of November 7, 2008, to extend the indemnification and term provisions of the indemnification agreement to cover Mr. Anstice's service as a director of the Company in addition to his service as an officer of the Company. The amendment is effective as of February 6, 2012, the date of Mr. Anstice's appointment as a director of the Company.

Except as specifically modified by the amendment, all terms and provisions of Mr. Anstice's indemnification agreement (the form of which is attached to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated November 13, 2008 as Exhibit 10.148) remain unmodified and in full force and effect.

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 14, 2012

LAM RESEARCH CORPORATION

By: /s/ George M. Schisler, Jr.  
George M. Schisler, Jr.  
*Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary*