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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HUNT J B TRANSPORT SERVICES INC [JBHT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/15/2010

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Sr VP, Controller/Chief Accountant

LOWELL, AR 72745

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	07/15/2010		M			1,800	A	\$ 0	61,565	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2010		M			1,440	A	\$ 0	63,005	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2010		F			1,148	D	\$ 34.78	61,857	D	
Common Stock (k)									82	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	07/15/2010		M	1,800	07/15/2009 08/15/2013	Common Stock	1,800	
Restricted Stock ⁽¹⁾	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	07/15/2010		M	1,440	07/15/2010 08/15/2014	Common Stock	1,440	
Restricted Stock	⁽²⁾					07/15/2011 08/15/2014	Common Stock	8,000	
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾					07/15/2012 08/15/2012	Common Stock	2,000	
Restricted Stock	⁽⁴⁾					07/15/2012 08/15/2015	Common Stock	9,000	
Restricted Stock	\$ 0					07/15/2013 08/15/2015	Common Stock	7,000	
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 5.585					06/01/2002 02/07/2013	Common Stock	26,000	
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 7.08					06/01/2003 10/24/2012	Common Stock	40,000	
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 12.2					06/01/2007 10/23/2012	Common Stock	24,000	
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 20.365					06/01/2012 10/21/2015	Common Stock	24,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COPE DONALD G 615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE LOWELL, AR 72745				Sr VP, Controller/Chief Account

Signatures

/s/ Debbie Willbanks,
Attorney-in-Fact

07/19/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
 - The Restricted Stock Award, approved by the Company's Compensation Committee and Board of Directors vests over a five-year period.
- (1) There is no purchase price required by the recipient in connection with this award. Termination of the recipient's employment with the Company for any reason other than death or disability shall result in forfeiture of the award on the date of termination.
 - The Resrtricted Stock award, approved by the Company's Compensation Committee, vests over a four-year period. There is no purchase
- (2) price required by the recipient in connection with this award. Termination of the recipient's employment for any reason other than death or disability shall result in forfeiture of the award on the date of termination.
 - The Restricted Stock award, approved by the Company's Compensation Committee, vests over a five-year period. There is no purchase
- (3) price required by the recipient in connection with this award. Termination of the recipient's employment for any reason other than death or disability shall result in forfeiture of the award on the date of termination.
 - The restricted stock award, approved by the Compensation Committee, vests in 20%, 25%, 25% and 30% increments. There is no
- (4) purchase price required by the recipient in connection with this award. Termination of the recipient's employment with the company for any reason other than death or disability shall result in forfeiture of the award on the date of termination.

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