TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Last)

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HIGHTOWER DENNIS F

2600 ROCK CREEK DRIVE, NW

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

06/07/2005

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

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

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(State) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onDerivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or | | |

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| | Derivative Security | | | | Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | |
|-------------------|------------------------|------------|------|---|--|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Deferred Stock | \$ 0 | 06/07/2005 | A | | 1,372.07 | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 8,550.08 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HIGHTOWER DENNIS F
2600 ROCK CREEK DRIVE, NW X
WASHINGTON, DC 20008-2704

Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated February 17, 2002

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- (1) Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value of \$30,000 plus an amount equal to the aggregate dividends for which there has been a record date since June 1, 2004. Shares will be delivered to each Director upon Director's retirement.

Date

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