

Sweetenham Paul  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
Sweetenham Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TK MAXX, 50 CLARENDON ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/07/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SEVP, Group President, Europe

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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WATFORD  
HERTFORDSHIRE, X0 WD17 1TX

(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	09/09/2011		M			10,270	A	\$ 35.03	84,638	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2011		M			10,538	A	\$ 41.13	95,176	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S			10,270	D	\$ 52.2614	84,906	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S			10,538	D	\$ 52.2614	74,368	D	
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S			4,368	D	\$ 52.4142	70,000	D	

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of
Option <u>(1)</u>	\$ 41.13	09/09/2011		M		10,538		09/09/2011	09/09/2020	Common Stock	1
Option <u>(1)</u>	\$ 35.03	09/09/2011		M		10,270		09/08/2009	09/08/2018	Common Stock	1
Option <u>(1)</u>	\$ 53.11	09/07/2011		J <sup>(2)</sup>	24,480			09/07/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	09/07/2021	Common Stock	2

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Sweetenham Paul  
TK MAXX  
50 CLARENDON ROAD  
WATFORD HERTFORDSHIRE, X0 WD17 1TX

SEVP, Group President, Europe

## Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated February 5, 2007

09/09/2011

\*\*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).
- (1) Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.
- (2) Award pursuant to the Company's Stock Incentive Plan which includes the right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the 1986 Stock Incentive Plan and exercisable in annual installments of 33.3% per year beginning on September 7, 2012.

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