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TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ Form 4 November 23, 2015 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Herrman Ernie Issuer Symbol TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify THE TJX COMPANIES, INC., 770 11/20/2015 below) below) COCHITUATE ROAD President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) anv Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 11/20/2015 Μ 12,500 А \$ 20.565 402,500 D Stock Common 11/20/2015 12,500 \$ 20.565 415,000 D Μ Α Stock Common $M^{(1)}$ 11/20/2015 D 12,500 D 402,500 69.8528 Stock Common $M^{(2)}$ 11/20/2015 12,500 D 390.000 D Stock 70.0368

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 20.565	11/20/2015		M <u>(3)</u>		12,500	09/09/2011	09/09/2020	Common Stock	12,500
Option	\$ 20.565	11/20/2015		M <u>(3)</u>		12,500	09/09/2011	09/09/2020	Common Stock	12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Herrman Ernie THE TJX COMPANIES, INC. 770 COCHITUATE ROAD FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701			President						
Signatures									
Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of 2007	11/23/2015								

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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The price reported is the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$69.84 to \$69.90. The (1) reporting person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

The price reported is the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$70.03 to \$70.06. The reporting person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(3) Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.

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