#### TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

Form 4

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# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Canestrari Ke	*	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
THE TJX COMPANIES, INC., 770 COCHITUATE RD.			12/09/2015	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SEVP - Group 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		
FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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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. Securit n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/09/2015		M	15,500	A	\$ 45.17	66,768	D	
Common Stock	12/09/2015		M <u>(1)</u>	15,500	D	\$ 71.43	51,268	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option	\$ 45.17	12/09/2015		M(2)		15,500	09/20/2013	09/20/2022	Common	15,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Canestrari Kenneth			SEVP -					
THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.			~					
770 COCHITUATE RD.			Group					
FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701			President					

## **Signatures**

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated September 29, 2014

12/10/2015

\*\*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 price reported is the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$71.41 to \$71.48. 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.
- (2) Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.

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