TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

Form 4 March 30, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Herrman Ernie

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC., 770

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

03/29/2016

CEO & President

COCHITUATE ROAD

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

Code V

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) or Amount (D) Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common Stock

03/29/2016

 $A^{(1)}$ 114,475 Α \$0 574,661

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)

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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. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			Amor Unde Secur	tle and unt of erlying rities r. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner France / Francess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Herrman Ernie								
THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.	X	CEO & President						
770 COCHITUATE ROAD	Λ		CEO & President					
FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701								

Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated February 20, 2007 03/30/2016

**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) Deferred stock award under the Company's Stock Incentive Plan with performance-based vesting criteria. Shares are issued and delivered following vesting of the award. Includes the right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon vesting.

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