TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Herrman Ernie

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

Symbol

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

(Check all applicable)

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC., 770

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2017

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

CEO & President

COCHITUATE ROAD

below)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701

(City)	(State)	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	Beneficially For Owned Dir Following or Reported (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/16/2017		M	20,380	A	\$ 26.555	465,041	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2017		M(1)	20,380	D	\$ 79.5129	444,661	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	4. Transactio 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	\$ 26.555	03/16/2017	M(2)		20,380	09/07/2012	09/07/2021	Common	20,380

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated February 20, 2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 \$79.50 to \$79.55. 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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