TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

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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. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **OBRIEN JOHN F** Issuer Symbol TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O THE TJX COMPANIES. 06/11/2015 below) INC., 770 COCHITUATE RD. 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 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

| (City) | (State) (Z | Zip) Table | I - Non-Do | erivative Securit | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficial | lly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | 3. Transaction | 4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial |
| (IIIsti. <i>3)</i> | | (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) | | <i>'</i> | Owned Indirect (I) Ownersh Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) | | | |
| | | | Code V | or Amount (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 06/11/2015 | | M <u>(1)</u> | 1,263 A | \$ 0 (1) | 58,972 | D | |

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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. Number of or 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|--|---|---|---|--|-------|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount of Number of Shares |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/11/2015 | | A | 1,144.51 | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 1,144.5 |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/11/2015 | | A | 514.61 | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 514.61 |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/11/2015 | | A | 1,144.51 | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 1,144.5 |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/11/2015 | | A | 66.71 | | <u>(5)</u> | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock | 66.71 |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/11/2015 | | M | | 1,263 | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 1,263 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OBRIEN JOHN F

C/O THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.
770 COCHITUATE RD.
FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701

Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated September 6, 2006

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Receipt of the deferred shares granted on June 10, 2014 in accordance with the terms of the Plan. Includes an amount equal to the aggregate dividends for which there has been a record date since June 10, 2014.
- (2) Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value of \$75,000. Shares will be delivered to each Director upon Director's retirement, under and subject to the terms of the Plan.

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Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value equal to the aggregate dividends on previously granted deferred shares for which there has been a record date since June 10, 2014. Deferred shares will be delivered to each Director upon Director's retirement, under and subject to the terms of the Plan.

Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value of \$75,000. Shares vest on the date immediately preceding the date of the annual meeting next succeeding the date of grant of such shares, provided that the recipient is still a Director on such date or, if earlier, immediately prior to a Change of Control. Vested shares will be delivered to each Director on the date of the annual meeting next succeeding the date of grant of such shares or upon the Director's retirement, in accordance with the Director's advance irrevocable election, if any, under and subject to the terms of the Plan.

Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value equal to the aggregate dividends on previously granted deferred shares for which there has been a record date since June 10, 2014. The previously granted deferred shares vest on the date immediately preceding the date of the annual meeting next succeeding the date of grant of such shares, provided that the recipient is still a Director on such date or, if earlier, immediately prior to a Change of Control. Vested shares will be delivered to each Director on the date of the annual meeting next succeeding the date of grant of such shares or upon the Director's retirement, in accordance with the Director's advance irrevocable election, if any, under and subject to the terms of the Plan.

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