#### PIPER JAFFRAY COMPANIES

Form 4

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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 **DUFF ANDREW S** Issuer Symbol PIPER JAFFRAY COMPANIES (Check all applicable) [PJC] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 800 NICOLLET MALL 11/14/2016 Chairman and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

Stock

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 Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) **Following** or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price Common 11/14/2016 M 32,149 Α \$41.09 276,386 D Stock Common \$ 65.042 11/14/2016 S 17,749 258,637 D D (1) Stock \$ Common 11/14/2016 S 13,680 D 65.8954 244,957 D Stock (2) \$ Common S 66.7056 D 11/14/2016 720 D 244,237

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Common By minor Stock children

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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)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.09	11/14/2016		M	32,149	02/15/2011	02/15/2018	Common Stock	32,149

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DUFF ANDREW S 800 NICOLLET MA

800 NICOLLET MALL X Chairman and CEO

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402

## **Signatures**

/s/ John W. Geelan for Andrew S.
Duff
11/15/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from (1) \$64.5500 to \$65.5500 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or any shareholder of the issuer.

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