

PALMER KAY J
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PALMER KAY J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HUNT J B TRANSPORT SERVICES INC [JBHT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
EVP, Chief Information Officer

615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

LOWELL, AR 72745

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------|----------|--|--|---|
| | | | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 47,924 | D | Â |
| Common Stock 401(k) | 12/30/2005 | 12/30/2005 | I | 33 | A | \$ 22.64 | 12,633 | D | Â |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|-----|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock | \$ 0 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 07/15/2012 | 08/15/2015 | Common Stock | 14,000 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 3 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/2000 | 01/25/2008 | Common Stock | 11,428 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 3.125 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/1999 | 10/08/2009 | Common Stock | 9,600 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 3.56 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/1997 | 12/20/2007 | Common Stock | 2,400 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 5.65 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/2002 | 02/19/2013 | Common Stock | 84,000 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 7.08 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/2004 | 10/24/2013 | Common Stock | 53,334 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 12.2 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/2009 | 10/23/2014 | Common Stock | 40,000 |
| Right to Buy Stock Option | \$ 20.365 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 06/01/2012 | 10/21/2015 | Common Stock | 40,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|--------------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PALMER KAY J 615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE | Â | Â | Â | EVP, Chief Information Officer |

LOWELL, AR 72745

Signatures

Debbie
Willbanks 02/14/2006

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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