FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MEYROWITZ CAROL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [ TJX ]								Relationship eck all applic	cable) or	g Pers	10% Ov	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE TJX COMPANIES, INC. 770 COCHITUATE ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2006								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  President - TJX					
(Street) FRAMINGHAM MA 01701  (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable c)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - N	on-Deri	vativ	e Se	curit	ies Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned	I				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Exe r) if a	ny	ned on Date, Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		(A) or 3, 4 and 5	Benefic	es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111501.4)	
Common Stock 09/11/20						)06			M		75,000	A	\$20.14	375	5,000		D		
Common Stock 09/11/20					/2006	)06			S		75,000	D	\$27.259	96 300	300,000		D		
		-	Table II								posed of, convertil			Owned	4				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy J	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$20.14	09/11/2006			M	M		75,000	09/09/2	004	09/09/2013	Common Stock	75,000	\$20.14	0	0			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

## Remarks:

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated January 28, 09/12/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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<sup>1.</sup> Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.