TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

(Middle)

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **SMITH ALEX**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

11/03/2005

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

below)

Other (specify

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC., 770 COCHITUATE ROAD

Senior EVP -- Group President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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Person

FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (1)	\$ 21.97	11/03/2005		J(2)		25,000		11/03/2006	11/03/2015	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SMITH ALEX THE TJX COMPANIES, INC. 770 COCHITUATE ROAD FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701			Senior EVP Group President					

Signatures

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated January 28, 2002

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the 1986 Stock Incentive Plan and exercisable in annual installments of 33.3% per year beginning on November 3, 2006

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