Sweetenham Paul Form 4 September 09, 2011

## FORM 4

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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Sweetenham Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

SEVP, Group President, Europe

09/07/2011

below)

\_ Other (specify below)

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TK MAXX, 50 CLARENDON ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

WATFORD

HERTFORDSHIRE, X0 WD17 1TX

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	(A)	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	09/09/2011		M	10,270	A	\$ 35.03	84,638	D			
Common Stock	09/09/2011		M	10,538	A	\$ 41.13	95,176	D			
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S	10,270	D	\$ 52.2614	84,906	D			
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S	10,538	D	\$ 52.2614	74,368	D			
Common Stock	09/09/2011		S	4,368	D	\$ 52.4142	70,000	D			

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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 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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Option (1)	\$ 41.13	09/09/2011		M		10,538	09/09/2011	09/09/2020	Common Stock	1
Option (1)	\$ 35.03	09/09/2011		M		10,270	09/08/2009	09/08/2018	Common Stock	10
Option (1)	\$ 53.11	09/07/2011		J(2)	24,480		09/07/2012(3)	09/07/2021	Common Stock	2

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sweetenham Paul TK MAXX 50 CLARENDON ROAD

SEVP, Group President, Europe

# **Signatures**

Mary B. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated February 5, 2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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- \* 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).
- $(1) \quad \text{Right to buy. Includes right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.}$
- (2) Award pursuant to the Company's Stock Incentive Plan which includes the right to have shares withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon exercise.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the 1986 Stock Incentive Plan and exercisable in annual installments of 33.3% per year beginning on September 7, 2012.

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