

J2 GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**RESSLER RICHARD S**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O J2 GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., 6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD, SUITE 500

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**J2 GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC [jcom]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/06/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value <sup>(2)</sup>	05/06/2005		S	580 D	\$ 35.88	569,896	I <sup>(1)</sup> By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005		S	20,972 D	\$ 36	548,924	I <sup>(1)</sup> By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock,	05/06/2005		S	4,492 D	\$ 36.01	544,432	I <sup>(1)</sup> By Orchard/JFAX

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\$0.01 par value									Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	500	D	\$ 36.02	543,932	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	5,400	D	\$ 36.05	538,532	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	3,018	D	\$ 36.06	535,514	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	2,810	D	\$ 36.07	532,704	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	863	D	\$ 36.08	531,841	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	1,690	D	\$ 36.11	530,151	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	300	D	\$ 36.13	529,851	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	05/06/2005	S	14,375	D	\$ 36.15	515,476	I <sup>(1)</sup>		By Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Nu Deriv Secur
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)	Bene- ficial Own- ers Follo- wing Repo- sition Trans- actions (Instr.	
			Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RESSLER RICHARD S  
C/O J2 GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.  
6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD, SUITE 500  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

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## Signatures

/s/Richard S.  
Ressler 05/10/2005

\_\_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).
- The Reporting Person is the manager and a member of Orchard/JFAX Investors, LLC, a private investment vehicle formed in 1997 to
- (1) facilitate the investment by the Reporting Person and other investors in the Issuer. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of shares in which he has no pecuniary interest.
  - (2) The Reporting Person also holds 500,000 shares directly and 94,483 shares as a trustee of The Ressler Family Foundation and disclaims beneficial interest in the shares owned by the Foundation.

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