TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Alvarez Jose B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ [TJX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

10% Owner

STOP & SHOP, 1385 HANCOCK STREET

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Other (specify Officer (give title

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

06/03/2008

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

QUINCY, MA 02169

(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. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

(Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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 (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, a 5)	(D)			
				Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	06/03/2008		A	1,571.88	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,571.88
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	06/03/2008		A	1,571.88	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,571.88

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Alvarez Jose B						
STOP & SHOP	X					
1385 HANCOCK STREET	Λ					
OUINCY, MA 02169						

Signatures

Mary R. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney dated September 10, 2007

**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) Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value of \$50,000 plus an amount equal to the aggregate dividends for which there has been a record date since June 1, 2007. Shares will be delivered to each Director upon Director's retirement.
 - Constitutes an award of deferred shares, under the Stock Incentive Plan, having a value of \$50,000 plus an amount equal to the aggregate dividends for which there has been a record date since June 1, 2007. Shares vest on the date immediately preceding the date of the
- (2) annual meeting next succeding the date of grant of such shares, provided that the recipient is still a Director on such date or, if earlier, immediately prior to a Change of Control. Vested shares will be delivered to each Director upon Director's retirement or, if a Director makes an irrevocable advance election, when such Director's deferred shares vest.

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