J C PENNEY CO INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **Evanson Brynn** Issuer Symbol J C PENNEY CO INC [JCP] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 6501 LEGACY DRIVE 03/20/2014 below) below) EVP, HR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

PLANO, TX 75024

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount

(D)

Price

Common

Stock of 50 cents Par 03/20/2014 A 41,866 A 050,334.586 D

Value

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 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date Ur (Month/Day/Year) (Ir		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Employee stock option/Right to Buy	\$ 8.36	03/20/2014		A	90,909 (2)	(2)	03/19/2024	Common Stock	90,90

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Evanson Brynn							
6501 LEGACY DRIVE			EVP, HR				
PLANO, TX 75024							

Signatures

*** /s/ Brandy L. Treadway, attorney 03/24/2014 in fact **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).
- Represents restricted stock units granted under the Company's 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The restricted stock units will vest **(1)** one-third on March 20, 2015, one-third on March 20, 2016 and one-third on March 20, 2017.
- Represents grant of performance-contingent employee stock options under the Company's 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Stock price must appreciate by at least 50% over the Grant Price for a period of 20 consecutive trading days at any time within four years of the grant (2) date. Options are also subject to time-based vesting requirements over four years and will vest in full only if performance metric is
- achieved at any time within four years of the grant date. If performance metric is not achieved prior to the fourth anniversary of the grant date, all options will be cancelled.
- Represents current grant of stock options. Including the reported grant, Ms. Evanson beneficially owned an aggregate of 152,340 stock options at various exercise prices.

Remarks:

*** Under continuing POA as filed with the S.E.C.

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