Ellison Marvin R Form 4 March 09, 2018

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ellison Marvin R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

J C PENNEY CO INC [JCP]

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

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

C/O J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC., 6501 LEGACY DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

03/07/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

PLANO, TX 75024

(City)

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 (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common

Stock of 50 487,465 03/07/2018 \$0 3,149,614 Α D (1)cents Par

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)

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				Code V	(A) (I))				Snares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Ellison Marvin R C/O J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INC. 6501 LEGACY DRIVE **PLANO, TX 75024**

X

Chairman and CEO

Signatures

*** /s/ David A. Shipley, attorney in fact

03/09/2018

**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 2016 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

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

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