BJs RESTAURANTS INC

Form 4

January 18, 2017

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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 * Trojan Greg		g Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
			BJs RESTAURANTS INC [BJRI]			
(Last) (First)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
7755 CENTER .	AVENUE,	SUITE	01/15/2017	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
300				President/CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
HUNTINGTON	BEACH, O	CA 92647		Form filed by More than One Reporting		

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Гable I	- Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
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(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Dis	sposed	of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
	any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	4 and 5)		Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
						Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
						Transaction(s)		
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		Code v	Amount	(D)	Price			
01/15/2017		F (1)	1 624	D	\$	33 937	D	
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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 35.95	01/15/2017		A	41,528	01/15/2018	01/15/2027	Common Stock	41

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Trojan Greg 7755 CENTER AVENUE SUITE 300

President/CEO

HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92647

Signatures

/s/ Sheri S. Feibush, Attorney-in-Fact for Gregory A. Trojan

01/18/2017

**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) Shares withheld by Registrant to satisfy minimum statutory withholding requirements on vesting of restricted stock units.
- (2) These restricted stock units vest 33.3% per year beginning on January 15, 2018.
- (3) Amount includes 31,375 of unvested Restricted Stock Units.
- (4) These stock options vest 33.3% per year beginning on January 15, 2018.

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