BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SALERNO FREDERIC V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES

(Check all applicable)

INC [BSC]

05/30/2008

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

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

C/O VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS, 400 WESTCHESTER AVENUE, 2ND

(Street)

FLR.

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

WHITE PLAINS, NY 10604

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

D

Common 05/30/2008 Stock

Code D 1,157

0 (1)

D

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(Month/Day/Year)

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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)	Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Shar
Non-Emp. Dir. Restr. Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/30/2008		D	517	09/30/2004	09/30/2004	Common Stock	5
non-emp. dir. restr. stock units	(2)	05/30/2008		D	701	10/07/2005	10/07/2005	Common Stock	70
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 41.5	05/30/2008		D	3,000	03/29/2001	03/15/2010	Common Stock	3,0
Non-Employee Director Stock Option	\$ 45.74	05/30/2008		D	3,000	03/30/2001	03/30/2011	Common Stock	3,0
Non-Employee Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 62.15	05/30/2008		D	2,051	09/27/2002	03/27/2012	Common Stock	2,0
Non-Employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 66.7	05/30/2008		D	1,911	09/26/2003	03/27/2013	Common Stock	1,9
Non-Employee Director Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 60.05	05/30/2008		D	312	11/30/2002	05/31/2012	Common Stock	3
Non-Employee Director Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 63.93	05/30/2008		D	293	02/28/2003	08/31/2012	Common Stock	29
Non-Employee Director Stock Options (Right	\$ 64	05/30/2008		D	292	05/30/2003	11/30/2012	Common Stock	29

to buy)								
Non-Employee Director Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 62.64	05/30/2008	D	299	08/28/2003	02/28/2013	Common Stock	29
Non-Emp. Dir. Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/30/2008	D	483	10/11/2006	10/11/2006	Common Stock	4
non-emp. dir. restricted stock units	<u>(2)</u>	05/30/2008	D	506	10/18/2007	10/18/2007	Common Stock	50
Non-emp. dir. stock options (rt to buy)	\$ 99.04	05/30/2008	D	189	11/30/2005	05/31/2015	Common Stock	13
non-emp. dir. stock options (rt to buy)	\$ 157.02	05/30/2008	D	1,200	10/18/2007	04/18/2017	Common Stock	1,2
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 77.27	05/30/2008	D	242	11/30/2003	05/31/2013	Common Stock	24
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 69.98	05/30/2008	D	267	03/01/2004	08/29/2013	Common Stock	20
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 72.46	05/30/2008	D	258	05/28/2004	11/28/2013	Common Stock	2:
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 87.84	05/30/2008	D	213	08/27/2004	02/27/2014	Common Stock	2
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 87.68	05/30/2008	D	1,492	09/30/2004	03/31/2014	Common Stock	1,4
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 81.06	05/30/2008	D	231	11/28/2004	05/28/2014	Common Stock	2:
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (rt. to buy)	\$ 87.92	05/30/2008	D	213	02/28/2005	08/31/2014	Common Stock	2
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (rt. to buy)	\$ 97.58	05/30/2008	D	192	05/31/2005	11/30/2014	Common Stock	19
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (rt. to buy)	\$ 99.5	05/30/2008	D	188	08/28/2005	02/28/2015	Common Stock	1

non-emp. dir. stock options (rt. to buy)	\$ 99.07	05/30/2008	D	2,043	10/07/2005	04/07/2015	Common Stock	2,0
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 100.5	05/30/2008	D	186	02/28/2006	08/31/2015	Common Stock	1
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to buy)	\$ 110.99	05/30/2008	D	168	05/31/2006	11/30/2015	Common Stock	10
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 134.44	05/30/2008	D	139	08/26/2006	02/28/2016	Common Stock	1:
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (Rt. to Buy)	\$ 142.37	05/30/2008	D	1,422	10/11/2006	04/11/2016	Common Stock	1,4
Non-Emp. Dir. Stock Options (rt. to buy)	\$ 133.75	05/30/2008	D	140	11/30/2006	05/31/2016	Common Stock	14
Non-Employee Director Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/30/2008	D	669	09/26/2003	09/26/2003	Common Stock	6

Reporting Owners

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

SALERNO FREDERIC V C/O VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS 400 WESTCHESTER AVENUE, 2ND FLR. WHITE PLAINS, NY 10604

X

Signatures

/s/ Salerno, 06/02/2008 Frederic V.

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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Date

- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Disposed of pursuant to the merger agreement between issuer and JPMorgan Chase & Co. in exchange for 251 shares of JPMorgan (1) Chase common stock having a market value of \$9.35 per share on the effective date of the merger.
- This type of derivative security typically does not have a conversion or exercise price **(2)**
- The Restricted Stock Units were converted in the merger into 112 Restricted Stock Units of JPMorgan Chase.

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- (4) The Restricted Stock Units were converted in the merger into 152 Restricted Stock Units of JPMorgan Chase.
- (5) The Restricted Stock Units were converted in the merger into 105 Restricted Stock Units of JPMorgan Chase.
- (6) The Restricted Stock Units were converted in the merger into 109 Restricted Stock Units of JPMorgan Chase.
- (7) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 41 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$455.29 per share.
- (8) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 261 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$721.83 per share.
- (9) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 52 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$355.22 per share.
- (10) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 58 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$321.70 per share.
- (11) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 56 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$333.10 per share.
- (12) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 46 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$403.81 per share.
- (13) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 324 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$403.07 per share.
- (14) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 50 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$372.64 per share.
- (15) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 46 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$404.17 per share.
- (16) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 41 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$448.58 per share.
- (17) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 40 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$457.41 per share
- (18) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 444 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$455.45 per share.
- (19) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 40 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$462.01 per share.
- (20) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 36 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$510.23 per share.
- (21) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 30 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$618.03 per share.
- (22) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 309 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$654.48 per share.
- (23) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 30 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$614.86 per share.
- (24) The Restricted Stock Units were converted in the merger into 145 Restricted Stock Units of JPMorgan Chase.
- (25) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 652 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$190.78 per share.
- (26) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 652 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$210.27 per share.
- (27) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 446 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$285.71 per share.
- (28) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 415 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$306.61 per share.
- (29) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 67 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$276.05 per share.
- (30) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 63 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$293.89 per share.
- (31) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 63 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$294.21 per share.
- (32) This option was converted in the merger into an option to purchase 65 shares of JPMorgan Chase common stock for \$287.96 per share.

Remarks:

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