**ROSS STEPHEN** 

Form 4

February 27, 2019

# 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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AcROSS STEP	*	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol J2 GLOBAL, INC. [JCOM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., 5TH FLOOR			(Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2019	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
LOS ANGE	LES, CA 90	028	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	canired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	red, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	02/26/2019		M(1)		A	\$ 22.92	34,297	D	
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	02/26/2019		M(1)	12,567	A	\$ 29.34	46,864	D	
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	02/26/2019		S	30,848	D	\$ 85.4311 (2)	16,016	D	

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Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	02/27/2019	M <u>(1)</u>	2,550	A	\$ 29.34	18,566	D
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	02/27/2019	S	2,550	D	\$ 85.1379	16,016	D

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 22.92	02/26/2019		M		18,281	<u>(4)</u>	05/06/2020	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	18,281
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 29.34	02/26/2019		M		12,567	<u>(6)</u>	05/12/2021	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	12,567
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 29.34	02/27/2019		M		2,550	<u>(6)</u>	05/12/2021	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	2,550

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSS STEPHEN 6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. 5TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

## **Signatures**

/s/ Stephen Ross 02/27/2019

\*\*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).
- These shares were acquired upon exercise of stock options issued under Issuer's 2007 Stock Option Plan identified as exercised in Part II of this Form 4.
- Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging (2) from \$85.40 to \$85.51 per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging (3) from \$85.0901 to \$85.195 per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- (4) These stock options vested in five (5) equal annual installments commencing on May 6, 2010.
- (5) Stock options granted for services rendered; no value placed on services rendered.
- (6) These stock options vested in five (5) equal annual installments commencing on May 12, 2011.

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