#### **BJs RESTAURANTS INC**

Form 4

January 20, 2009

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

BJs RESTAURANTS INC [BJRI]

obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

DAL POZZO JAMES

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

							(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction									
			(Month/E	ay/Year)			_X_ Director	1	0% Owner			
2200 WEST VALLEY BLVD.			01/15/2	009			Officer (		Other (specify			
							below)	below)				
	(Street)		4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Mor	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)				
						_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of	2. Transaction D	ate 2A. Dec	emed	3.	4. Securit	ties	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of			
Security	Security (Month/Day/Year) Executi			Transactio	onAcquired	(A) or	Securities	Ownership	Indirect			
(Instr. 3)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			Code	Disposed		Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial			
· ·	(Month/Day/Year)			(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,		Owned	(D) or	Ownership			
		`		,			Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)			
							Reported	(Instr. 4)	,			
						(A)	Transaction(s)	,				
						or	(Instr 3 and 4)					
				Code V	Amount	(D) Prio	e (====================================					
Common							102,800	D				
Stock							102,800	D				
									TOTAL T			
Common									The Jacmar			
Stock							2,624,129	I	Companies			
Stock									<u>(1)</u>			
Common									The John			
							24,313	I	Tilley 1992			
Stock									Trust (1)			
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Common									The Nicole			
							14,713	I	Tilley 1992			
Stock									Trust (1)			

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

Estimated average

burden hours per

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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)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ame Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A	<b>v</b> ) (	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or No of
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.61							01/15/2005(2)	01/15/2014	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.875							01/26/2002	01/26/2011	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Options(right to buy)	\$ 9.2							06/19/2003(2)	06/19/2012	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 10							06/19/2004(2)	06/19/2013	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.94							01/15/2006(3)	01/15/2015	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Options(right to buy)	\$ 23.61							01/17/2007(3)	01/17/2016	Common Stock	3
Non-Qualified Stock Options(right to buy)	\$ 20.81							01/16/2008(3)	01/16/2017	Common Stock	2
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 12.78							01/15/2009(3)	01/15/2018	Common Stock	6

Non-Qualified \$ 9.37 01/15/2009 **Stock Options** 

6,481

01/15/2010 01/15/2019

Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

**DAL POZZO JAMES** 2200 WEST VALLEY BLVD. X ALHAMBRA, CA 91803

**Signatures** 

Dianne Scott, Attorney-in-fact for James A. Dal **Pozzo** 

01/20/2009

\*\*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).
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of the reporting person's pecuniary interest **(1)** therein.
- (2) The options vest 20% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (3) The options vest 33 1/3% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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