PARKEY MARK A

Form 4

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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)

See Instruction

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXANDERS J CORP [JAX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
09/17/2012	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President & Controller		
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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	Symbol ALEXANDERS J CORP [JAX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2012 4. If Amendment, Date Original		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/17/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 4.25	5,016	D	
Common Stock	09/17/2012		M	11,303	A	\$ 8.22	16,319	D	
Common Stock	09/17/2012		M	10,000	A	\$ 6.1	26,319	D	
Common Stock	09/17/2012		M	5,000	A	\$ 4.1	31,319	D	
Common Stock	09/17/2012		M	3,750	A	\$ 5.5	35,069	D	

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Common Stock	n 3,969.6843						I :	J. Alexander's Corporation Employee Stock Ownership Plan	
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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 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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.25	09/17/2012		M	5,000	<u>(1)</u>	07/22/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.1	09/17/2012		M	10,000	<u>(2)</u>	07/24/2015	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.22	09/17/2012		M	11,303	12/21/2005	12/21/2015	Common Stock	11,303
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.1	09/17/2012		M	5,000	(3)	11/23/2016	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.5	09/17/2012		M	3,750	<u>(4)</u>	08/08/2018	Common Stock	3,750

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PARKEY MARK A 3401 WEST END AVENUE, SUITE 260 NASHVILLE, TN 37203

Vice President & Controller

Signatures

Mark A. Parkey 09/19/2012

**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) The option vested in three equal installments on July 22, 2004, 2005, and 2006.
- (2) The option vested in four equal installments on July 24, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
- (3) The option, the award of which covered 10,000 shares of common stock, was scheduled to vest in four equal installments on November 23, 2010, 2011, 2012, and 2013.
- (4) The option, the award of which covered 15,000 shares of common stock, was scheduled to vest in four equal installments on August 8, 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015.

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