

J2 GLOBAL, INC. Reported by KRETZMER W BRIAN

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol JCOM

SIC Code 4822 - Telegraph and Other Message Communications

Industry Integrated Telecommunications Services

Sector Telecommunication Services

Fiscal Year 12/31



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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
KRETZMER W BRIAN				J2 GLOBAL, INC. [JCOM]								,		00/ 0		
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)						YY)	X _ Director10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
6922 HOLL FLOOR	YWOOD	BLVD.	, 5 TH				6/	6/2	2017					, <u> </u>	(1)	,
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)						/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual o	or Joint/G	roup Filing (Check Appl	icable Line)
LOS ANGELES, CA 90028 (City) (State) (Zip)												_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
			Table I	I - Non-I	Deriva	tive Se	curities A	cqu	ired, D	isposed	l of, or Bei	neficially Own	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Secur Following Reported (Instr. 3 and 4)	arities Beneficially Owned at Transaction(s)		6. 7. Nature Ownership Form: 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value 6/6/2017				6/6/2017			M (1)		1336	A	\$21.67	11607 D			D	
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value 6/6/2017						S		1336	D	886.2002 (2)	10271			D		
	Tab	le II - Der						(e.g	g. , put	s, calls,	warrants,	options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date I	3A. Deen Execution Date, if an	n (Instr.		Derivat Acquir Dispos	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Securities U Derivative (Instr. 3 and	Jnderlying Security	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Cod	le V	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect	
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$21.67	6/6/2017		М			1336		<u>(3)</u>	5/7/2019	Commo Stock \$0. Par Valu	.01 1336	<u>(4)</u>	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) These shares were acquired upon exercise of stock options issued under Issuer's 2007 Stock Plan identified as exercised in Part II of this Form 4.
- (2) Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging from \$86.20 to \$86.23 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.
- (3) These stock options vested in five (5) equal annual installments commencing on May 7, 2010.
- (4) Stock options granted for services rendered; no value placed on services rendered.

Reporting Owners

reporting owners							
Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KRETZMER W BRIAN							
6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.	X						
5TH FLOOR	Λ.						
LOS ANGELES, CA 90028							

Signatures

/s/ W. Brian Kretzmer	6/7/2017
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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