#### SHIELDS THOMAS J

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### FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHIELDS THOMAS J			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BJS WHOLESALE CLUB INC [BJ]				s	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) ONE MER	(First) CER ROAD	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/18/2008			_	_X Director Officer (give t	10%	Owner or (specify		
F				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			
NATICK, I							F	Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or		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	04/18/2008			M	3,000	A	\$ 19.72	10,500	D		
Common	04/18/2008			S	3,000	D	\$ 37.4620	7,500	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)

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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)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities 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)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.72	04/18/2008		M	3,000	(1)	05/28/2008	Common Stock	3,000	

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SHIELDS THOMAS J ONE MERCER ROAD NATICK, MA 01760	X					

# **Signatures**

s/Arlene C. Feldman, Attorney-in-fact

04/21/2008 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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) Vested in three equal annual increments beginning 5/28/99

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