

CRESCI ROBERT J  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CRESCI ROBERT J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., 5TH FLOOR

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
J2 GLOBAL, INC. [JCOM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/02/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	05/02/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	A	\$ 3.525
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	05/02/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	A	\$ 4.47
Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	05/02/2012		S <sup>(2)</sup>		10,000	D	\$ 25.6858
							<sup>(3)</sup>

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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. Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 3.525	05/02/2012		M	5,000	<u>(4)</u> 06/25/2012	Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	5,000
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 4.47	05/02/2012		M	5,000	<u>(6)</u> 06/25/2012	Common Stock \$0.01 Par Value	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CRESCI ROBERT J 6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. 5TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90028	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Robert J.  
Cresci

05/02/2012

\*\*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) These shares were acquired upon exercise of stock options issued under the Issuer's Second Amended and Restated 1997 Stock Option Plan identified as exercised in Part II of this Form 4.
- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the Reporting Person.  
Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging
- (3) from \$25.63 to \$25.77 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 two equal installments on June 25, 2003 and June 25, 2004.
- (5) Stock option granted for services rendered, no value placed on services rendered.
- (6) These stock options vested in two equal installments on June 25, 2005 and June 25, 2006.

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