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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Westhoven	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORP [NJR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) C/O NEW J CORPORA ROAD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2018					Director 10% Owner Specify Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & COO					
WALL, NJ	4. If Amendment, Date Original 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 Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									lv Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	saction Date 2A. Deemed			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		
Common Stock	10/15/2018			Code V	Amour 24,354	` ′	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 144,068.093	D		
Common Stock	10/15/2018			F	11,995 (2)	D D	\$ 44.9	132,073.093	D		

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

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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)	Code	5. Number of onDerivative 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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	(3)	10/15/2018	M		22,765	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	22,765	\$ 4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Westhoven Stephen D C/O NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION 1415 WYCKOFF ROAD WALL, NJ 07719

President & COO

Signatures

/s/ Richard Reich, as attorney-in-fact for Stephen D. Westhoven

10/17/2018

**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) Includes accrued dividends on the vested awards totaling 1,589 shares.
- (2) Represents shares withheld to pay taxes due upon vesting of deferred stock units.
- (3) Each deferred stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of New Jersey Resources Corporation common stock.

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