

MATTHEWS TERRENCE D  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MATTHEWS TERRENCE D**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HUNT J B TRANSPORT SERVICES INC [JBHT]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE**  
 (Street)  
**LOWELL, AR 72745**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/07/2012**

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

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Other (specify below)  
**EVP, Marketing**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	02/07/2012		M		20,000	A	\$ 12.2	75,284	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2012		S		20,000	D	\$ 52.5588	55,284	D	
Common Stock (k)	02/07/2012		J <sup>(1)</sup>		2,012	A	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	110,617	D	
Common Stock (k)	02/07/2012		J <sup>(1)</sup>		109	A	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	9,097	I	By Spouse
Common Stock								1,620	I	By Spouse

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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)

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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 12.2	02/07/2012		M		20,000		06/01/2009	10/23/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>							07/15/2011	08/15/2015	Common Stock	24,390
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Restricted Stock	\$ 0							07/15/2012	08/15/2022	Common Stock	30,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>							07/15/2015	08/15/2015	Common Stock	17,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>							07/15/2009	08/15/2013	Common Stock	8,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>							07/15/2010	08/15/2014	Common Stock	9,600
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 5.61							06/01/2003	08/05/2013	Common Stock	12,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 7.08							06/01/2004	10/24/2013	Common Stock	8,896
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 20.365							06/01/2013	10/21/2015	Common Stock	40,000

