

HUNT J B TRANSPORT SERVICES INC

Form 4

October 18, 2006

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
Form 4 or  
Form 5  
obligations  
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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROBERTS JOHN N

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/16/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
EVP Enterprise Solutions and P

(Street)  
LOWELL, AR 72745

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**

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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	151,828	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. 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
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/16/2006	10/16/2006	A		15,000		07/15/2011	08/15/2015	Common Stock	15,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 3							06/01/2000	01/25/2008	Common Stock	11,428
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 3.125							06/01/1999	10/08/2009	Common Stock	12,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 3.75							06/01/1997	10/10/2007	Common Stock	8,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 5.61							06/01/2004	08/05/2012	Common Stock	90,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 7.08							06/01/2004	10/24/2013	Common Stock	62,224
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 12.2							06/01/2009	10/23/2014	Common Stock	48,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 20.365							06/01/2012	10/21/2015	Common Stock	48,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBERTS JOHN N 615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE LOWELL, AR 72745				EVP Enterprise Solutions and P

## Signatures

Debbie  
Willbanks

10/18/2006

\_\_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).

The Restricted Stock Award, approved by the Company's Compensation Committee vests over a five-year period. There is no purchase price required by the recipient in connection with the award. Termination of the recipient's employment with the company for any reason other than death or disability shall result in forfeiture of the award.

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