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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 \*  
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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)  
04/23/2008

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr VP, Controller/Chief Accountant

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

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)
Common Stock	04/23/2008	04/23/2008	M	16,000 A	\$ 3.125 74,603	D	
Common Stock	04/23/2008	04/23/2008	S	16,000 D	\$ 31.6984 58,603	D	
Common Stock 401(k)					82	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)

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)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock	\$ 0					07/15/2011	08/15/2014	Common Stock	8,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0					07/15/2012	08/15/2015	Common Stock	16,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0					07/15/2012	08/15/2012	Common Stock	2,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 5.585					06/01/2002	02/07/2013	Common Stock	80,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 7.08					06/01/2004	10/24/2012	Common Stock	40,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 12.2					06/01/2007	10/23/2012	Common Stock	24,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 20.365					06/01/2012	10/21/2015	Common Stock	24,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 3.125	04/23/2008	04/23/2008	M	16,000	06/01/1999	10/08/2009	Common Stock	16,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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LOWELL, AR 72745

## Signatures

Debbie  
Willbanks

04/25/2008

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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