TJX COMPANIES INC /DE/ Form 8-K March 08, 2006

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

### FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): March 7, 2006

## THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in charter)

DELAWARE	1-4908	04-2207613
(State or other jurisdiction	(Common File	(I.R.S. employer
of incorporation)	Number)	identification No.)
	770 Cochituate Road, Framingham, MA 0170	<u>)1</u>
(A	Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip C	ode)
	<u>(508) 390-1000</u>	
Re	egistrant s Telephone Number (including area	code)
	<u>N/A</u>	
(Former name or former address,		
	if changed since last report)	
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#### ITEM 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

On March 7, 2006, The TJX Companies, Inc., or TJX, and Bernard Cammarata, Chairman and Acting Chief Executive Officer, Carol Meyrowitz, President, Arnold Barron, Senior Executive Vice President and Group President, and Donald Campbell, Chief Administrative and Business Development Officer, and Alexander Smith, Senior Executive Vice President and Group President, agreed to a 10% reduction in their respective base salaries, effective March 13, 2006, and entered into amendments to their respective employment agreements permitting such reductions. Copies of such amendments are filed as Exhibits 10.1 through 10.5.

#### ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On March 8, 2006, TJX issued a press release announcing a reduction in force at its headquarters and salary reductions of twelve of its most senior executives. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

# ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS (C) EXHIBITS

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	headquarters staff and salary reduction for senior executives.	
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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

THE TJX COMPANIES, INC.

/s/ Jeffrey G. Naylor
Jeffrey G. Naylor
Senior Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: March 8, 2006

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