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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORP [NJR]				···· · 5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
	(First) JERSEY RESO TION, 1415 W		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/19/2014					Director 10% Owner Sofficer (give title Other (specify below)		
				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)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executio any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	03/19/2014			M	4,500	A	\$ 28.65	16,690.171	D	
Common Stock	03/19/2014			S	4,500	D	\$ 48.871	12,233.481 (2)	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)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A of N of S
Options (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 28.65 (3)	03/19/2014	M	4,500	12/05/2006(4)	12/05/2015	Common Stock	4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

DUGAN MARIELLEN C/O NEW JERSEY RESOURCES CORPORATION 1415 WYCKOFF ROAD WALL, NJ 07719

Sr. V.P. & General Counsel

Signatures

Rhonda M. Figueroa - Attorney-in-Fact (POA on File)

03/20/2014

**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 price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$48.85 to \$48.92, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to New Jersey Resources Corporation (NJR), any security holder of NJR, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4.
- (2) Total includes an accrual of 43.31 shares of NJR Common Stock through the NJR Dividend Reinvestment Plan (DRP).
- (3) Price and number of options reflect change due to 3 for 2 stock split as of March 3, 2008.
- (4) Options were exercisable 25% each year beginning on the first anniversary date of the grant, which was December 5, 2006.

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