

CRESCI ROBERT J

Form 4

February 20, 2019

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CRESCI ROBERT J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., 5TH  
FLOOR

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
J2 GLOBAL, INC. [JCOM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/19/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock<br>\$0.01 Par<br>Value | 02/19/2019                              |                                                             | M <sup>(1)</sup>                        | 16,680 A \$ 21.67                                                       | 94,684                                                                                                             | D                                                                          |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock<br>\$0.01 Par<br>Value | 02/19/2019                              |                                                             | S                                       | 4,350 D \$<br>(2) 84.1943                                               | 90,334                                                                                                             | 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Options to Purchase Common Stock           | \$ 21.67                                               | 02/19/2019                           |                                                    | M                              | 16,680                                                                                  | (3) 05/07/2019                                           | Common Stock \$0.01 par value                                 | 16,680                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                | Relationships                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
|                                                                               | Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other |
| CRESCI ROBERT J<br>6922 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.<br>5TH FLOOR<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90028 |                                           |

## Signatures

/s/ Robert J. Cresci                      02/19/2019

\_\_\_\_\_  
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).
- (1) These shares were acquired upon exercise of stock options issued under the Issuer's 2007 Stock Plan identified as exercised in Part II of this Form 4.
- Reflects aggregate reporting of multiple open market transactions. The price reported is the weighted average sale price of sales ranging from \$84.16 to \$84.30 per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- (3) These stock options vested in five (5) equal annual installments commencing on May 7 2009.
- (4) Stock options granted for services rendered; no value placed on services rendered.

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