

HUNT J B TRANSPORT SERVICES INC

Form 4

May 24, 2005

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
COPE DONALD G

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)  
05/23/2005

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

(Street)

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

LOWELL, AR 72745

(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 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/23/2005	05/23/2005	M		16,555	A	\$ 8.81 41,579
Common Stock	05/23/2005	05/23/2005	S		8,155	D	\$ 41.55 33,424
Common Stock 401(k)							40 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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 5.31							06/01/2001	10/12/2006	Common Stock	2,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 6							06/01/2000	01/25/2008	Common Stock	20,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 6.25							06/01/1999	10/08/2009	Common Stock	10,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 6.53							06/01/2001	12/04/2006	Common Stock	4,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 7.12							06/01/1997	12/20/2007	Common Stock	6,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 11.17							06/01/2002	02/07/2013	Common Stock	40,000
Right to Buy Stock Option	\$ 14.16							06/01/2004	10/24/2012	Common Stock	20,000
Right to Buy	\$ 24.4							06/01/2007	10/23/2012	Common Stock	12,000

Stock  
Option

Right to  
Buy  
Stock  
Option

\$ 40.73

06/01/2012 10/21/2015

Common  
Stock

12,000

Right to  
Buy  
Stock  
Option

\$ 8.81

05/23/2005

05/23/2005

M

16,555

06/01/2003 07/20/2006

Common  
Stock

16,555

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other
COPE DONALD G 615 J.B. HUNT CORPORATE DRIVE LOWELL, AR 72745	Sr VP, Controller/Chief Accoun

## Signatures

Debbie  
Willbanks                      05/24/2005

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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