

SHEPARD DONALD J
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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 *
SHEPARD DONALD J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
500 WATER STREET
(Street)
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CSX CORP [CSX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/15/2012

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)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	03/15/2012		A ⁽¹⁾		1,083	A	\$ 21.92
Common Stock					198,149	I	
Common Stock					12,000	D	

CSX Corporation Directors Deferred Compensation Plan ⁽²⁾

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)

Table with 9 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities. Includes sub-headers for Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, and Code V (A) (D).

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 main columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for SHEPARD DONALD J, 500 WATER STREET, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202 with an 'X' in the Director column.

Signatures

/s/ Mark D. Austin, Attorney-in-Fact, 03/16/2012. **Signature of Reporting Person, Date.

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
**(1) Exempt payment of director's fees and/or annual retainer in the form of CSX Common Stock pursuant to the 2010 CSX Stock and Incentive Award Plan.
(2) By Trustee, CSX Directors Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). The shares are payable after the reporting person ceases to be a director or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Plan.

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