J C PENNEY CO INC

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement MARTHA STEWART LIVING OMNIMEDIA INC J C PENNEY CO INC (Month/Day/Year) [MSO] 12/06/2011 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6501 LEGACY DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X__ Director _X__ 10% Owner _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer Other Person PLANO. TXÂ 75024 (give title below) (specify below) _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\$.01 par value Class A Common Stock

Series A Preferred Stock

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
J C PENNEY CO INC 6501 LEGACY DRIVE PLANO, TX 75024	ÂX	ÂX	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Michael P. Dastugue, EVP, Chief Financial Officer of J. C. Penney Company, Inc.

12/16/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- On December 6, 2011, the reporting person's wholly owned subsidiary, J. C. Penney Corporation, Inc., purchased from the Issuer 11 million newly issued shares of \$.01 par value Class A Common Stock and one newly issued share of Series A Preferred Stock for an aggregate purchase price of \$38.5 million. The securities are held directly by J. C. Penney Corporation, Inc.

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Remarks:

Solely for purposes of Section 16 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the rep

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