

Blankenship Mark H  
 Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 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 Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Blankenship Mark H		(Month/Day/Year)	JACK IN THE BOX INC /NEW/ [JACK]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	12/31/2008	
9330 BALBOA AVENUE			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
SAN DIEGO,Â CAÂ 92123			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			VP - HR & OPERATIONAL SERVICES	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title      Amount or Number of Shares			

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(Instr. 5)

NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION <sup>(1)</sup>	11/06/2004	11/06/2013	COMMON STOCK	2,000	\$ 9.45	D	Â
NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION <sup>(1)</sup>	09/16/2006	09/16/2015	COMMON STOCK	9,000	\$ 17.625	D	Â
NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION <sup>(1)</sup>	09/15/2007	09/15/2016	COMMON STOCK	10,000	\$ 26.28	D	Â
NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION <sup>(2)</sup>	09/14/2008	09/14/2014	COMMON STOCK	20,000	\$ 30.69	D	Â
NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION <sup>(2)</sup>	09/12/2009	09/12/2015	COMMON STOCK	23,000	\$ 24.74	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Blankenship Mark H 9330 BALBOA AVENUE SAN DIEGO, CA 92123	Â	Â	Â VP - HR & OPERATIONAL SERVICES	Â

## Signatures

Mark  
Blankenship

12/31/2008

\*\*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).

(1) The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal installments commencing one year after the date of grant.

(2) The stock option becomes exercisable in three equal installments commencing one year after the date of grant.

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