PIER 1 IMPORTS INC/DE

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HUNTER ERIC W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PIER 1 IMPORTS INC/DE [PIR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Choose an applicable)			
100 PIER 1 PLACE			(Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2016	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (special below) Exec. Vice Pres - Marketing			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
FORT WORT	TH, TX 7610)2	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	ecuriti	es Acqu	ired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3. T	4. Securities	•	` ′	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	onor Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 at	` /		Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form:	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Direct (D)	Ownership
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	or Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
common stock	06/30/2016		J <u>(1)</u> V	486.3813	A	\$ 5.14	206,713.6569	D	

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

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						Exercisable Date		Number			
				G 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HUNTER ERIC W 100 PIER 1 PLACE FORT WORTH, TX 76102

Exec. Vice Pres - Marketing

Signatures

/s/ Eric W. Hunter By: Christopher L. Mabe, Atty-in-Fact

07/05/2016

**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).

On June 30, 2016, the Pier 1 Imports, Inc. Stock Purchase Plan purchased in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(c), 486.3813 shares of common stock for June 2016 contributions credited to the reporting person's account. Such shares were purchased at the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange for June 30, 2016.

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