JPS INDUSTRIES INC Form 4 January 11, 2001

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

- () Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).
- 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Robert Capozzi c/o Magten Asset Management Corp. 35 E. 21st St. New York, New York

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

JPS Industries, Inc. JPST

- 3. IRS Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year

12/00

- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 - (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) (X) Other \star (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (check Applicable Line)
 - X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TABLE I -- NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF, OR BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Secur	itvl 2.	Transaction	nl 3.	Transaction	4.	Securities		ı	5.	Amount of
(Instr. 3)		Date (Month/ Day/		Code (Instr. 8)		Acquired (or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3,	A) d	 		Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
		Year)	 	Code V		and 5) (A) Amount (D)		 Price		(Instr. 3 and 4)
Common Stock		12/07/00		P		36,500	А	4.00	36	,500
Common Stock		12/27/00		J**		8,932	D	* *	1,	039,106

TABLE II -- DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF, OR BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2.	Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	3.	Trans- action Date (Month/ Date/ Year)	4	. Trans- action Code (Instr 8)	İ	(D) (ative ities red	6 	Expira Date	le and
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	3. Price of Derivative	9.	Number of derivative	10.	Ownership Form of	11.	Nature of Indirect	
 	Security (Instr. 5)		Securities Benefi- cially Owned at	 	Derivative Security Direct (D) or Indirect		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

	End of	(I) (Instr.	I	
	Month	4)	I	
1	(Instr. 4)			-

Explanation of Responses:

- * The Reporting Person is a member of the board of directors of the Issuer and is an officer of Magten Asset Management Corp. ("Magten"), a registered investment adviser that has voting power and investment power with respect to securities in its clients' accounts, including securities described hereon.
- ** On December 30, 2000, Magten distributed in kind 8,932 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock to its investment advisory clients.
- *** The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities shown in columns 4 and 5 of Table 1 of this Form 4, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a)(1) or (a)(2) or for any other purpose.

Signature of Reporting Person:

/s/ Robert Capozzi

Robert Capozzi

Date: January 10, 2001

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is sufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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