J C PENNEY CO INC Form SC 13D/A January 25, 2011

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 2)*

J.C. Penney Company, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.50 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

708160106

(CUSIP Number)

Joseph Macnow
Executive Vice President - Finance and
Administration and Chief Financial Officer
Vornado Realty Trust
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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

With a copy to:
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Neil Whoriskey
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January 24, 2011

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box: o

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This Amendment No. 2 (this "Amendment") amends and supplements the Schedule 13D filed by Vornado Realty Trust, a Maryland real estate investment trust ("Vornado"), Vornado Realty L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, VNO Fashion LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and VSPS I L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company, with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 8, 2010 (the "Schedule 13D") and amended on November 10, 2010, relating to the common stock, par value \$.50 per share, of J.C. Penney Company, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"). All capitalized terms used in this Amendment and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Schedule 13D.

Item 4 is hereby amended and supplemented to add the following:

Item 4. Purpose of the Transaction.

On January 24, 2011, the Issuer announced that its board of directors (the "Board") had agreed to name each of Steven Roth, the chairman of the board of Vornado, and William A. Ackman, chief executive officer of Pershing, to the Board, and that Messrs. Roth and Ackman were expected to be appointed to the Board by February 22, 2011. The Issuer also announced that it expects to appoint an additional director in the near future.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: January 25, 2011

VORNADO REALTY TRUST

/s/ ALAN RICE By:

> Alan Rice Name:

Title: Senior Vice President

VORNADO REALTY L.P.

Vornado Realty Trust, By:

its general partner

/s/ ALAN RICE By:

Name: Alan Rice

Title: Senior Vice President

VNO FASHION LLC

Vornado Realty L.P., By:

Its sole member

By: /s/ ALAN RICE

Name: Alan Rice

Title: Senior Vice President

VSPS I L.L.C.

Vornado Realty L.P., By:

Its sole member

By: Vornado Realty Trust,

its general partner

By: /s/ ALAN RICE

Name: Alan Rice

Title: Senior Vice President