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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Mantle Ridge LP

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

03/06/2017

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CSX CORP [CSX]

Officer

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

900 THIRD AVENUE, 11TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting

Person

X Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

See footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Form:

Ownership

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Common Stock D 106

Common Stock 7 Â

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 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4)

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

5. Conversion or Exercise

Price of

Ownership Form of Ownership Derivative (Instr. 5)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Call Option (right to buy)	01/09/2017	03/09/2017	Purchase Contract	937,523	\$ 27.78	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/10/2017	03/10/2017	Purchase Contract	981,689	\$ 27.98	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/11/2017	03/10/2017	Purchase Contract	2,791,488	\$ 28.36	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/12/2017	03/13/2017	Purchase Contract	2,488,349	\$ 28.53	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/13/2017	03/13/2017	Purchase Contract	3,138,793	\$ 28.77	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/17/2017	03/17/2017	Purchase Contract	1,725,483	\$ 28.51	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Call Option (right to buy)	01/18/2017	03/17/2017	Purchase Contract	1,706,179	\$ 27.73	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	10/07/2016	10/09/2018	Common Stock	1,201,138	\$ 30.9	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	10/10/2016	10/10/2018	Common Stock	1,276,136	\$ 30.85	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/09/2016	12/07/2018	Common Stock	2,013,062	\$ 30.5	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/12/2016	12/12/2018	Common Stock	2,377,838	\$ 30.23	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/12/2016	12/12/2018	Common Stock	2,320,154	\$ 30.79	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/13/2016	12/13/2018	Common Stock	2,179,655	\$ 31.21	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/13/2016	12/13/2018	Common Stock	211,000	\$ 37.14	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/14/2016	12/14/2018	Common Stock	572,700	\$ 36.95	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/16/2016	12/17/2018	Common Stock	593,285	\$ 31	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)

Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/16/2016	12/17/2018	Common Stock	938,626	\$ 31.06	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/27/2016	12/27/2018	Common Stock	208,000	\$ 37.02	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	12/28/2016	12/28/2018	Common Stock	51,000	\$ 36.82	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	01/17/2017	01/17/2019	Common Stock	4,000,000	\$ 36.27	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	01/18/2017	01/18/2019	Common Stock	295,000	\$ 37.23	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	02/21/2017	02/21/2019	Common Stock	2,246,491	\$ 30.63	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	02/21/2017	02/21/2019	Common Stock	1,077,512	\$ 31.3	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	02/21/2017	02/21/2019	Common Stock	572,000	\$ 36.84	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	02/22/2017	02/22/2019	Common Stock	483,000	\$ 36.66	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	03/01/2017	03/01/2019	Common Stock	1,606,731	\$ 30.51	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	03/01/2017	03/01/2019	Common Stock	1,103,772	\$ 30.6	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	03/01/2017	03/01/2019	Common Stock	1,592,095	\$ 30.62	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	03/01/2017	03/01/2019	Common Stock	995,816	\$ 30.66	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)
Purchase Contract (obligation to buy)	03/01/2017	03/01/2019	Common Stock	533,726	\$ 30.76	I	See footnotes (1) (3) (4) (5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mantle Ridge LP 900 THIRD AVENUE, 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
MR Argent Advisor LLC 900 THIRD AVENUE, 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
MR Argent GP LLC 900 THIRD AVENUE, 11TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		

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Hilal Paul C 900 THIRD AVENUE, 11TH FLOOR Â X Â Â NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022

Signatures

MANTLE RIDGE LP, By: Mantle Ridge GP LLC, its managing member, By: PCH MR Advisor Holdings LLC, its managing member, By: /s/ Paul C. Hilal, Paul C. Hilal, Sole Member

03/08/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

MR ARGENT ADVISOR LLC, By: Mantle Ridge LP, its sole member, By: Mantle Ridge GP LLC, its managing member, By: PCH MR Advisor Holdings LLC, its managing member, By: /s/ Paul C. Hilal, Paul C. Hilal, Sole Member

03/08/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

MR ARGENT GP LLC, By: MR GP HoldCo LLC, its managing member, By: MR GP HoldCo MM LLC, its managing member, By: PCH MR GP Holdings LLC, its managing member, By: /s/ Paul C. Hilal, Paul C. Hilal, Sole Member

03/08/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Paul C. Hilal, Paul C. Hilal

03/08/2017

**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).
 - In addition to Mantle Ridge LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Mantle Ridge"), this Form 3 is being filed jointly by MR Argent Advisor LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("MR Argent"), MR Argent GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Fund
- (1) GP"), and Paul C. Hilal, a citizen of the United States of America (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"), each of whom has the same business address as Mantle Ridge and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in securities reported on this Form 3 (the "Subject Securities"). All Subject Securities reported on this Form 3 are rounded up to the nearest whole share.
- (2) Seven shares of the Issuer are held by a wholly owned and wholly controlled special purpose subsidiary of Mantle Ridge.
 - MR Argent, a wholly owned subsidiary of Mantle Ridge, advises the accounts of MR Argent Fund CE LP, a Delaware limited partnership, and MR Argent Offshore Fund AB LP, MR Argent Offshore Fund BB LP, MR Argent Offshore Fund CB 01 LP, MR Argent
- (3) Offshore Fund CB 02 LP, MR Argent Offshore Fund CB 03 LP, MR Argent Offshore Fund CB 04 LP, MR Argent Offshore CB 05 LP and MR Argent Offshore CB 07 LP, each a Cayman Islands exempted limited partnership, and, if applicable, their subsidiaries, which are Cayman Islands exempted companies (all such funds and their subsidiaries together, the "Mantle Ridge Funds").
 - MR Argent, as the investment adviser to the Mantle Ridge Funds, and Mantle Ridge, as the sole member of MR Argent, each may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the Subject Securities for purposes of Rule 16a 1(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. As the general partner of the Mantle Ridge Funds, Fund GP may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the Subject Securities for purposes
- (4) of Rule 16a-1(a). By virtue of Paul C. Hilal's position as ultimately controlling MR Argent, Mantle Ridge and MR GP HoldCo LLC, the sole member of the Fund GP, Paul C. Hilal may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the Subject Securities for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a). Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims any beneficial ownership of any of the Subject Securities, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- (5) Paul C. Hilal is a member of the board of directors of the Issuer, and as a result, each of the Reporting Persons are directors by deputization for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
 - The Mantle Ridge Funds have entered into call option contracts, pursuant to which, during the option term, they have a right to buy purchase contracts with respect to Issuer common stock. Under such purchase contracts, the Mantle Ridge Funds would have (if the option were exercised) the obligation to buy a specified number of Issuer common stock at a fixed exercise price on or prior to the
- (6) maturity date of such purchase contract. The amount shown in column 3 is the number of shares of Issuer common stock underlying the purchase contract applicable to the option. The amount shown in column 4 is the exercise price of the call option per share of Issuer common stock, which may be different from the exercise price per share of Issuer common stock underlying the purchase contract applicable to the option.

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Remarks:

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