Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Gerspach John C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP ADS										k all app Direc	tionship of Reporti all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% O		
(Last) 3095 LO	(Fi	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2022										below)		below)		
(Street) COLUM (City)			3219 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Ind Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
		Table	I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	Benef	iciall	y Own	ed			
Date			Date	2. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Securities Beneficial Owned Fo		ies ially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pi	rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			03/15/	2022				A <sup>(1)</sup>		538	A		(1)	14,	665 <sup>(2)</sup>	D		
Common Stock															6,	,000		I	By Gerspach 2020 GST Exempt Trust <sup>(3)</sup>
		Tal									osed of, convertib				Owne	d			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	te Executionth/Day/Year) if any	emed on Date, Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	s S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership oct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The new grant is for 538 shares of common stock represented by restricted stock units. The restrictions on 100% of the shares will lapse on the earlier of (i) 3/15/32 or (ii) termination of the director's service on the Company's board of directors, but in any case not earlier than March 15, 2023.
- 2. The total amount of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 5,000 unrestricted shares; (b) 5,981 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/22/20; (c) 2,241 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/15/21; (d) 431 unvested restricted stock units granted 9/15/21; (e) 474 unvested restricted stock units granted 12/15/21; and (f) the new grant for 538 restricted stock units.
- 3. The shares are held by the Gerspach 2020 GST Exempt Trust, for which the Reporting Person's spouse serves as trustee.

Benjamin L. Morgan,

03/17/2022

**Attorney** in Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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