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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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JENSEN KENNETH R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP</u> [ ADS ]		ationship of Reporting Pers ( all applicable) Director	oon(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (N 17655 WATERVIEW PARKWAY		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2008		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
(Street) DALLAS (City)	DALLAS TX 75252-8012		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>X Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11311.4)
Common Stock	07/01/2008		<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		2,388	Α	(1)	15,174 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of Expiration Da Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v				Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The new grant is for 2,388 shares of common stock represented by restricted stock units. The restrictions on 100% of the shares will lapse on the earlier of (i) 7/1/18 or (ii) upon termination of the director's service on the Company's board of directors.

2. The total amount of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 10,000 shares purchased in the open market; (b) 1,091 shares of restricted stock granted 6/24/03; (c) 621 shares of restricted stock granted 7/1/04; (d) 616 shares of restricted stock granted 6/10/05; (e) 458 shares of restricted stock granted 6/12/06; and (f) the new grant for 2,388 restricted stock units.

**Remarks:** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  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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