# SEC Form 4

Instruction 1(b).

## FORM 4

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Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> BALLOU ROGER H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP</u> [ ADS ]		tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) 3075 LOYALT	(First) Y CIRCLE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/22/2020		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)	
(Street) COLUMBUS (City)	OH (State)	43219 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	oorting Person	

#### 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/22/2020		<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		2,956	A	(1)	15,999 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock								3,500	I	By Roger H. Ballou 2020 Granton Retaine Annuity Trust

### 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 Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr	5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Deriv	unt of rities rlying ative rity (Instr.	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	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. The new grant is for 2,956 shares of common stock represented by restricted stock units. The restrictions on 100% of the shares will lapse on the earlier of (i) 6/21/30 or (ii) termination of the director's service on the Company's board of directors, but in any case not earlier than June 21, 2021.

2. The total amount of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 4,021 unrestricted shares; (b) 1,367 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/30/10; (c) 1,915 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/29/12; (e) 679 unvested restricted stock units granted 7/1/13; (f) 489 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/29/12; (e) 679 unvested restricted stock units granted 7/1/13; (f) 489 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/29/12; (e) 679 unvested restricted stock units granted 7/1/13; (f) 489 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/29/15; (h) 602 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/27/16; (i) 564 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/26/17; (j) 655 unvested restricted stock units granted 6/25/18; (k) 959 unvested restricted stock units.

Remarks:

#### <u>Cynthia L. Hageman</u>, Attorney in Fact

06/23/2020

\*\* 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).

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