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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Santillan Laura (Last) (First) (Middle) 7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP</u> [ADS]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
		,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2014		SVP, Chief Acc	tg. Officer	
(Street) PLANO	TX	75024	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Re		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—		Form filed by More the Person	an One Reporting	

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 Reported	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)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	02/21/2014		A ⁽¹⁾		880	Α	(1)	24,874	D	
Common Stock	02/21/2014		F ⁽²⁾		1,962	D	\$284.03	22,912 ⁽³⁾	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		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(S) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (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. Based on the Company's EBT performance in 2013, 139.5% of the original award of 2,228 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13 were earned, resulting in an additional 880 units, for a total of 3,108 units. The restrictions will lapse with respect to 1,025 units on 2/23/15 and with respect to 1,058 units on 2/21/16, subject to continued employment by the Reporting Person on the remaining vesting dates.

2. Shares withheld by the Company to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting of restricted stock units.

3. The total number of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 16,554 unrestricted shares; (b) 400 shares held in an IRA account; (c) 249 unvested units from an award of 731 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (d) 1,493 unvested units from an award of 4,387 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (e) 373 unvested units from an award of 556 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; (f) 2,083 unvested units from an award of 3,108 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; (g) 352 unvested time-based restricted stock units granted 2/18/14; and (h) 1,408 unvested performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/11/13; (g) 352 unvested time-based restricted stock units granted 2/18/14; and (h) 1,408 unvested performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/18/14.

Remarks:

Cynthia L. Hageman, Attorney 02/25/2014

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** 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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