ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP

Form 5

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

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

	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	
		Derivative				Securities		((Instr. 3 and 4)			
		Security				Acquired						
						(A) or						
						Disposed						
						of (D)						
						(Instr. 3,						
						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
								Expiration Date	Title	or		
										Number		
						(A) (D)				of		
						(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HORN CHARLES L 7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700 Â Â ÊVP & Chief Financial Officer Â PLANO, TXÂ 75024

Signatures

Cynthia L. Hageman, Attorney
In Fact
02/13/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

The total number of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 14,762 unrestricted shares; (b) 712 unvested units from an award of 2,092 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (c) 4,269 unvested units from an award of 12,554 performance-based restricted stock

(1) units granted 2/21/12; (d) 1,049 unvested units from an award of 1,565 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; (e) 5,855 unvested units from an award of 8,737 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; (f) 1,067 unvested time-based restricted stock units granted 2/18/14; and (g) 4,270 unvested performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/18/14.

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