ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP Form 8-K May 15, 2008

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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# Form 8-K

**Current Report** 

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): 05/15/2008

## ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-15749

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 31-1429215 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

### 17655 Waterview Parkway

Dallas, Texas 75252 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(972) 348-5100

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On May 15, 2008, Alliance Data Systems Corporation issued a press release announcing a multi-year contract extension with Dress Barn, Inc. to continue providing private label credit card services for dressbarn and maurices-branded stores. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated May 15, 2008 announcing a multi-year contract extension with Dress Barn, Inc.

The information contained in this report (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

#### Signature(s)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORPORATION

Date: May 15, 2008

By: /s/ Edward J. Heffernan

Edward J. Heffernan Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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 Exhibit No.
 Description

 EX-99.1
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