ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Kennedy Bryan J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP [ADS]

(Middle) (Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

11/20/2013

7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700

(State)

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below)

EVP & President, Epsilon

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Deneficially Ov

PLANO, TX 75024

(City)

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired (A) oner Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	(Manual Buly, 1 cur)	Execution Date, if any	Code	* ' '			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Direct (D) or Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	,	
C			Code v	rimount	(D)	\$			
Common Stock	11/20/2013		S	1,471	D	247.182 (1)	114,161	D	
Common Stock	11/20/2013		S	200	D	\$ 248.22 (2)	113,961 (3)	D	

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	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					4, and 5)						
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				C 1 W					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

EVP & Kennedy Bryan J 7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700 President, **PLANO, TX 75024 Epsilon**

Signatures

Cynthia L. Hageman, Attorney 11/22/2013 in Fact

**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 price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$247.00 to \$247.69, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Alliance Data Systems Corporation, any security holder of Alliance Data Systems Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$248.11 to \$248.33, inclusive.
 - The total number of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 76,242 unrestricted shares; (b) 1,504 unvested units from an award of 4,421 time-based restricted stock units granted 3/21/11; (c) 9,020 unvested units from an award of 26,528 performance-based restricted
- (3) stock units granted 3/21/11; (d) 2,182 unvested units from an award of 3,256 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (e) 13,091 unvested units from an award of 19,537 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (f) 2,384 unvested time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; and (g) 9,538 unvested performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13.

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