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# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Miller Melisa A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP [ADS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Officer (give title

Director

10% Owner Other (specify

7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

(First)

04/30/2013

below) EVP & Pres, Retail Credit Svcs

700

(City)

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

**PLANO, TX 75024** 

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common 04/30/2013 S D 169.613 D 2,763  $38,016 \frac{(2)}{2}$ Stock

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Miller Melisa A 7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700 PLANO, TX 75024

EVP & Pres, Retail Credit Svcs

# **Signatures**

**(2)** 

Cynthia L. Hageman, Attorney o5/01/2013

\*\*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 \$169.50 to \$169.81, 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 range set forth herein.

The total number of securities beneficially owned includes: (a) 13,243 unrestricted shares; (b) 531 unvested units from an award of 1,560 time-based restricted stock units granted 3/21/11; (c) 3,183 unvested units from an award of 9,362 performance-based restricted stock units granted 3/21/11; (d) 2,161 unvested units from an award of 3,225 time-based restricted stock units granted 8/22/11; (e) 1,408 unvested units from an award of 2,101 time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (f) 8,450 unvested units from an award of 12,610 performance-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/12; (g) 1,808 unvested time-based restricted stock units granted 2/21/13; and (h) 7,232 unvested performance-based restricted stock units granted

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