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October 30, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC

Symbol

[TSS]

OMB Number:

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

3235-0287

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

TURNER JOHN THOMPSON

(Last) P. O. BOX	` '	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Trans (Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2009			nsaction		X Director Officer (g below)		10% Owner Other (specify		
			nendment, Date Original fonth/Day/Year)				l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
COLUMBI								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Dispose								equired, Disposed	l of, or Benefi	cially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transa Code (Instr.		on(A (I (I	. Securiti A) or Dis D) Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/29/2009			G	V	3	9,071	D	\$0	0	I	GRAT 2003
Common Stock										14,200	I	By Living Trust
Common Stock										38,790	I	GRAT 2008
Common Stock										3,060	D	
Common Stock										154,203	I	GRAT 2009

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Common Stock	576,000	I	W C Bradley Investments
Common Stock	2,156	I	Held for Child
Common Stock	2,156	I	Held for Child
Common Stock	2,196	I	Held for Child

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	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	o	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8) D	Derivative	•		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				S	Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)	
	Security				Α	Acquired					
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					Γ	Disposed					
					o	of (D)					
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					4	I, and 5)					
										Amount	
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration	Title	or Number	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	of	
				C- 1-	V 7 ((D)					
				Code	V (.	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TURNER JOHN THOMPSON P. O. BOX 140 COLUMBUS, GA 31902-140	X						
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Signatures

Garilou Page,	10/30/2009
Attorney-in-Fact	10/30/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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