

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PRUETT WILLIAM A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC [TSS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
P. O. BOX 2506  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/29/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr. EVP

COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	04/29/2013		M		27,690	A	\$ 13.11
							261,421 <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	04/29/2013		S		27,690	D	\$ 23.5035
							233,731 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	04/29/2013		M		37,155	A	\$ 15.66
							270,886
Common Stock	04/29/2013		S		37,155	D	\$ 23.5023
							233,731 <sup>(3)</sup>
	04/30/2013		M		50,000	A	\$ 16.01
							283,731

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock	04/30/2013		S	50,000	D	\$ 23.5295	233,731	D
						<u>(4)</u>		

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 13.11	04/29/2013		M	27,690	02/03/2012	02/02/2019	Common Stock	27,690
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 15.66	04/29/2013		M	37,155	03/31/2012 <sup>(5)</sup>	03/30/2020	Common Stock	37,155
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 16.01	04/30/2013		M	50,000	04/30/2013	04/30/2015	Common Stock	50,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
				Sr. EVP

PRUETT WILLIAM A  
P. O. BOX 2506  
COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506

## Signatures

Garilou Page,  
Attorney-in-Fact

05/01/2013

\_\_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).

(1) Includes shares acquired through exempt purchases in the issuer's employee stock purchase plan and dividend reinvestment.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.40 to \$23.57, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, 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 (2) , (3) and (4) to this Form 4.

(3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.38 to \$23.57, inclusive.

(4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.48 to \$23.67, inclusive.

(5) One-half of these options became exercisable on March 31, 2012 and the remaining half became exercisable on March 31, 2013.

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