#### TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC

Form 4 May 02, 2016

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PRUETT WILLIAM A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC [TSS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last) P. O. BOX 25	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2016	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Executive Vice Pres.
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	(A) or	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)
Common Stock	04/29/2016		Code V S	Amount 1,403	(D)	Price \$ 51.0871	285,827 (1)	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2016		S	18,789	D	\$ 50.3966	267,038	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2016		M	19,024	A	\$ 24.44	286,062	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2016		S	9,512 (2)	D	\$ 50.204 (2)	276,550	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2016		S	9,512 (3)	D	\$ 50.281 (3)	267,038	D	

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Common Stock	04/29/2016	M	11,000	A	\$ 30.83	278,038	D
Common Stock	04/29/2016	S	11,000 (4)	D	\$ 50.285 (4)	267,038	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$ 24.44	04/29/2016		M	19,024	04/01/2016	03/31/2023	Common Stock	19,0
Employee stock option (right to	\$ 30.83	04/29/2016		M	11,000	03/18/2015(5)	03/17/2024	Common Stock	11,0

# **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PRUETT WILLIAM A			Senior					
P. O. BOX 2506			Executive					
COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506			Vice Pres.					

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### **Signatures**

Garilou Page, Attorney-in-Fact 05/02/2016

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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

Date

- \*\* 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 under the issuer's employee stock purchase plan since the reporting person's last Form 4 report that included shares of common stock beneficially owned.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.20 to \$50.23, 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 report.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.22 to \$50.40, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.20 to \$50.45, inclusive.
- (5) These employee stock options are exercisable in three equal annual installments on March 18, 2015, March 18, 2016 and March 18, 2017. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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