ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORP Form 8-K October 16, 2014

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 16, 2014

ALLIANCE DATA SYSTEMS CORPORATION (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE 001-15749 31-1429215 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission (IRS Employer File Number) Identification No.)

7500 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 700 PLANO, TEXAS 75024 (Address and Zip Code of Principal Executive Offices)

(214) 494-3000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, including Area Code)

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the Registrant under any of the following provisions:

| [: | x] | Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act |
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|] |] | Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act |

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act

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ITEM 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is a presentation to be given to investors and others by senior officers of Alliance Data Systems Corporation.

ITEM 8.01. Other Events

The information set forth in the investor presentation materials furnished under Item 7.01 above with respect to the previously announced pending merger with Conversant, Inc. is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Document Description

99.1 Investor Presentation Materials.

Note: The information contained in this report (including Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in Item 8.01 above or any such other filing.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Alliance Data Systems Corporation

Date: October 16, 2014 By: /s/ Charles L. Horn

Charles L. Horn

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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