CARLSON LEROY T JR

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** CARLSON LEROY T JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TELEPHONE & DATA SYSTEMS INC /DE/ [TDS]				_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 30 N. LASA	(First) ALLE ST., STE.	(Middle) 4000	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/06/2018				X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) President and CEO			
CHICAGO.				mendment, Date Original Ionth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
(Civ.) (Civ.)								les Oesse e d		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	on Date 2A. Deemed		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			quired l of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Shares	01/04/2018			G	2,156	D	<u>(4)</u>	82,203 (3)	D	
Common Shares	03/07/2018			G	12,000	D	<u>(4)</u>	70,203 (3)	D	
Common Shares	04/06/2018			M(2)	6,278	A	<u>(2)</u>	76,481 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Common Shares	04/06/2018			F(1)	2,634	D	\$ 28.33	73,847 (3)	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Transaction Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Compensation	(2)	04/06/2018		M	6,278	(2)	(2)	Common shares	6,278	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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CARLSON LEROY T JR 30 N. LASALLE ST., STE. 4000

CHICAGO, IL 60602

X President and CEO

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Signatures

Julie D. Mathews, by power of atty

04/06/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Withholding of common shares as settlement for taxes due in consideration for settlement of the deferred compensation payout.
- Payout of deferred bonus. Reporting person deferred a portion of his 2010 bonus pursuant to the TDS Long Term Incentive Plan. The (2) deferred bonus has been invested in phantom stock now representing common shares, including dividend reinvestment. The price on April 5, 2018 was used to determine the payout for the deferred bonus shares. A total of 59,507 are vested.
- (3) Includes 3768 shares owned by children
- (4) By gift

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