GRIFFITH G SANDERS III

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FORM 4

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

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5 Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

1(b).

Stock

Stock

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person *

	GRIFFITH	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC [TSS]					I	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
	(Last) (First) (Middle) P. O. BOX 2506			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/28/2017						Director 10% Owner Selfctor (give title below) Other (specify below) Sr. EVP, Gen. Counsel, Sec.			
(Street) COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506				4. If Amo			ate Origina r)	1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
									Ī	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - No	n-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		Code	Transactiomr Disposed of (D)			D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
	Common Stock	07/28/2017			M		18,472	A	\$ 24.44	187,684	D		
	Common Stock	07/28/2017			S <u>(1)</u>		9,236 (1)	D	\$ 63.347 (1)	178,448	D		
	Common	07/28/2017			S(2)		9,236	D	\$ 63.159	169,212	D		

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 24.44	07/28/2017		M	18,472	04/01/2016	03/31/2023	Common Stock	18,472

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Other Officer

GRIFFITH G SANDERS III P.O. BOX 2506 COLUMBUS, GA 31902-2506

Sr. EVP, Gen. Counsel, Sec.

Signatures

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Garilou Page, 07/31/2017 Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
 - The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.24 to \$63.46, 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 1 and 2 to this Form 4 report.
- The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.02 to \$63.38, inclusive.

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