DST SYSTEMS INC Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LARK VERCIE L Issuer Symbol DST SYSTEMS INC [DST] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 333 WEST 11TH STREET 03/10/2017 below) V-P, Chief Information Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting KANSAS CITY, MO 64105 Person

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securit	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	any	Code	Disposed	` ′		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/10/2017		A	42 (1)	A	\$0	31,314	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2017		F	3,235 (2)	D	\$0	28,079	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ing	Security	Secui
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of			
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LARK VERCIE L			V-P, Chief					
333 WEST 11TH STREET			Information					
KANSAS CITY MO 64105			Officer					

Signatures

Randall D. Young for Vercie L. Lark by power of 03/14/2017 attorney

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).
 - On March 10, 2017, dividend equivalents were received automatically pursuant to the terms and conditions of applicable award agreements. The dividend equivalents were granted in connection with Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted on February 25, 2014,
- (1) February 23, 2015, February 26, 2016, May 10, 2016 and February 24, 2017 and Performance Stock Units (PSUs) granted on February 25, 2014, as well as on the dividend equivalents previously received in connection therewith. The dividend equivalents convert to one share of common stock based on the vesting or performance criteria in the underlying RSU or PSU.
 - The Compensation Committee of the Issuers Board of Directors allows the withholding of shares (Tax Withholding Transactions) to satisfy the Reporting Persons income tax obligation from a vesting of Restricted Stock Units (RSUs), Performance Stock Units (PSUs)
- (2) and Dividend Equivalents (DEs). The Committee pre-approves, at the time of grant, the Tax Withholding Transactions. The Reporting Person holds RSUs, PSUs and DEs reported in other Section 16 filings. This form reports the number of shares retained in the March 10, 2017 Tax Withholding Transactions.

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