SEREDA PETER L

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Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer SEREDA PETER L Symbol TELEPHONE & DATA SYSTEMS (Check all applicable) INC /DE/ [TDS] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner X _ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2012 VP & Treasurer 30 N. LASALLE ST., STE. 4000 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) CHICAGO, ILÂ 60602 _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Acquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned at end Indirect (I) Ownership of Issuer's (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (A) Fiscal Year or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Amount Common Â Â Â Â Â Â 16,023 D Shares Common Â Â Â Â Â 552.69 (1) Ι By 401(k) Shares Persons who respond to the collection of information **SEC 2270** Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of contained in this form are not required to respond unless securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. (9-02)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 59.45	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/15/2007	07/02/2017	Common Shares	22,349
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 35.35	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	08/26/2018	Common Shares	33,180
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 26.95	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	05/20/2019	Common Shares	31,970
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 26.66	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	05/25/2020	Common Shares	33,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.94	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	05/13/2021	Common Shares	31,700
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.79	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(4)	05/15/2022	Common Shares	54,700
Restricted Stock Units	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	12/02/2013	Common Shares	4,500
Restricted Stock Units	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(5)	12/01/2014	Common Shares	6,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	Â	Â	VP & Treasurer	Â				

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Signatures

Julie D. Mathews, by power of atty

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**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).
- (1) Voluntary reporting of shares in the TDS 401K. The information is based on a plan statement dated 12/31/12. The number of shares fluctuates and is attributable to the price of the shares on 12/31/12.
- (2) Restricted stock unit award pursuant to the 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Stock units will become vested on December 2, 2013.
- (3) Granted under the 2004 Long Term Incentive Plan. Options vest over a 3 year period with one-third of the number of shares becoming exercisable on the first annual anniversary, one-third on the second annual anniversary, and one-third on the third annual anniversary.
- (4) Granted under the 2011 Long Term Incentive Plan. Options vest over a 3 year period with one-third of the number of shares becoming exercisable on the first annual anniversary, one-third on the second annual anniversary, and one-third on the third annual anniversary.
- (5) Restricted stock unit award pursuant to the 2011 Long Term Incentive Plan. Stock units will become vested on December 1, 2014.

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