

DST SYSTEMS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**TOWLE STEVEN J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**333 WEST 11TH STREET**  
  
(Street)

**KANSAS CITY, MO 64105**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**DST SYSTEMS INC [DST]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**12/13/2013**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President & CEO of Subsidiary**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | 841 <sup>(1)</sup>  | I  | 401(k)  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | 1,140 <sup>(2)</sup>  | I  | Deferred Compensation                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/13/2013                           |  | A                              | 16 <sup>(3)</sup>   | A \$ 0 39,669   | 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) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code V (A) (D)                 |   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |  |   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
| TOWLE STEVEN J<br>333 WEST 11TH STREET<br>KANSAS CITY, MO 64105 |               |           | President & CEO of Subsidiary |       |

## Signatures

Randall D. Young for Steven J. Towle by power of attorney  
12/17/2013

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## 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) Shares are allocated to the Reporting Persons account in the 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan of Issuer. The acquisition is exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c),
- (2) Held through the deferred compensation plan of Boston Financial Services, Inc., owned 50% by the Issuer and the prior employer of Reporting Person.
- (3) The acquisition is of unvested restricted stock units received automatically on December 13, 2013 as dividend equivalents pursuant to the terms and conditions of award agreements (Dividend RSUs). The Dividend RSUs were granted in connection with Reported RSUs, which include RSUs granted February 24, 2011 (2011 Time RSUs) and February 21, 2013 (2013 Time RSUs) and the Dividend RSUs previously received in connection therewith. The aggregate number of Dividend RSUs being reported as an acquisition on this form includes 4 RSUs granted with respect to the 2011 Time RSUs, and 12 RSUs granted with respect to the 2013 Time RSUs.

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