VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC.

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Galant Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC. [PAY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2013

(Check all applicable)

CEO

below)

10% Owner

_ Other (specify

C/O VERIFONE SYSTEMS. INC., 2099 GATEWAY PLACE, SUITE 600

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

| (City) | (State) (| Tabl | e I - Non-D | Perivative So | ecuriti | es Acquir | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y 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 our Dispose (Instr. 3, 4 | d of (L |)) | 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) |
| Restricted Stock Award | 10/01/2013 | | A | 300,000 (1) | A | \$ 0 | 300,000 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 10/03/2013 | | S(2) | 65,185 | D | \$ 23.36 (3) | 234,815 | 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 orDerivative 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) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|--------------------|---|----------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount Number Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 23 | 10/01/2013 | | A | 500,000 | <u>(4)</u> | 09/30/2020 | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 500,00 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 10/01/2013 | | A | 200,000 | <u>(5)</u> | <u>(5)</u> | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 200,00 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Galant Paul | | | | | | |
| C/O VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC. | X | | CEO | | | |
| 2099 GATEWAY PLACE, SUITE 600 | Λ | CEO | | | | |
| SAN JOSE, CA 95110 | | | | | | |

Signatures

Paul Galant, by Jun Zheng, his attorney-in-fact 10/03/2013

**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).
- Restricted stock award issued pursuant to the issuer's Amended and Restated 2006 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Subject to the award agreement and the Plan, 50% of the restricted stock award vested on the grant date and the remaining 50% of the restricted stock award will vest on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) This transaction was a broker-assisted sale of shares to cover the payment of withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of the restricted stock award referred to in Footnote 1.

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- (3) Shares sold between \$23.33 and \$23.45 per share at a weighted average price of \$23.36. The reporting person will provide to the Commission, the issuer and any stockholder, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) 25% of these stock options will vest on the first anniversary of the grant date. Thereafter, 6.25% of these stock options will vest at the end of each subsequent three month period until these stock options have fully vested.
- The grant is subject to achievement of certain performance criteria prior to October 1, 2016 and will vest based on achievement of such criteria. The number of derivative securities reported is the targeted amount to be achieved. Depending on the actual level of achievement, the reporting person may receive between 0% and 200% of such targeted amount.

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