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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement DST SYSTEMS INC [DST] Sarwal Arun (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 333 WEST 11TH STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer Other Person KANSAS CITY, MOÂ 64105 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One **Executive of Subsidiary** Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 786 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:		
					Security	Direct (D)		
						or Indirect		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (1)	12/01/2012	12/01/2021	Common Stock	3,950	\$ 47.51	D	Â
Restricted Stock Unit (2)	03/08/2013	02/24/2021	Common Stock	779	\$ 0	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Sarwal Arun 333 WEST 11TH STREET KANSAS CITY. MO 64105	Â	Â	Â	Executive of Subsidiary		

Signatures

Randall D. Young for Arun Sarwal by power of 10/09/2012 attorney

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The option vests in three equal installments beginning on December 1, 2012.
- This is the number of time-based RSUs granted by the Committee. The RSUs will vest in increments of 20%, 30% and 50% respectively, (2) on the first, second and thrid anniversaries of the grant, generally subject to forfeiture for termination of employment and to accelerated
- vesting for certain special events as provided in the award agreement.

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Remarks:

Arun Sarwal POA

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