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# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add Siniscalchi Pa	•	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC. [CAR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6 SYLVAN WAY (Street)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2010	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, International Operations			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
PARSIPPAN	Y, NJ 07054			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

	(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock	03/06/2010		M(1)	3,251	A	\$0(1)	35,510	D	
	Common Stock	03/06/2010		F(2)	1,054	D	\$ 11.53	34,456	D	
	Common Stock	03/06/2010		M(1)	5,267	A	\$ 0 (1)	39,723	D	
	Common Stock	03/06/2010		F(4)	1,707	D	\$ 11.53	38,016	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	' (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	03/06/2010		M <u>(1)</u>		3,251	(3)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	3,251	9
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	03/06/2010		M(1)		5,267	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	5,267	9

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Siniscalchi Patric 6 SYLVAN WAY PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

**EVP**, International Operations

### **Signatures**

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Patric

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\*\*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) Represents restricted stock units which automatically converted to Common Stock upon the vesting of such units on a one-to-one basis.
- (2) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 3,251 shares of restricted stock units.
- (3) Original grant vests in four installments on March 6, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.

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- (4) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 5,267 shares of restricted stock units.
- (5) Original grant vests in four installments on March 6, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.
- (6) Expiration date not applicable.

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