

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC  
Form 10-K/A  
April 13, 2016

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 10-K/A**  
**Amendment No. 1**

**Annual report pursuant to section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**  
**for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015**  
**Commission file number 1-10254**

**TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES, INC.**  
**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Georgia**  
**(State or other jurisdiction of**  
**incorporation or organization)**

**58-1493818**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**One TSYS Way**

**Columbus, Georgia**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**31901**  
**(Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (706) 649-2310**

**Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:**

<b>Title of each class</b>	<b>Name of each exchange on which registered</b>
<b>Common Stock, \$.10 Par Value</b>	<b>New York Stock Exchange</b>
<b>Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: NONE</b>	

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months, and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated Filer <input type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer <input type="checkbox"/>	Smaller reporting company <input type="checkbox"/>

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

As of June 30, 2015, the aggregate market value of the registrant's common stock held by non-affiliates of the registrant was approximately \$7,510,394,000 based on the closing sale price as reported on the New York Stock

Exchange.

As of February 19, 2016, there were 183,168,798 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

**DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE**

<b>Incorporated Documents</b>	<b>Form 10-K Reference Locations</b>
Portions of the Annual Report to Shareholders for the year ended December 31, 2015 ( Annual Report )	Parts I, II, III and IV
Portions of the 2016 Proxy Statement for the Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held April 28, 2016 ( Proxy Statement )	Part III

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

Total System Services, Inc. is filing this Amendment No. 1 on Form 10-K/A for the sole purpose of amending Item 15 of its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on February 24, 2016, to include Exhibit 99.1, the Annual Report on Form 11-K for the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the year ended December 31, 2015 as set forth below and in the attached exhibits. This Amendment No. 1 does not otherwise update information in the originally filed Form 10-K to reflect facts or events occurring subsequent to the original filing date.

## PART IV

### Item 15. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules

#### (a) 1. *Financial Statements*

The following consolidated financial statements of TSYS are incorporated in this document by reference from pages 41 through 90 of the Annual Report.

Consolidated Balance Sheets - December 31, 2015 and 2014

Consolidated Statements of Income - Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income - Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows - Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity - Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Management's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

#### 2. *Financial Statement Schedules*

The following report of independent registered public accounting firm and consolidated financial statement schedule of TSYS are included:

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Schedule II - Valuation and Qualifying Accounts - Years Ended December 31, 2015, 2014 and 2013

All other schedules are omitted because they are inapplicable or the required information is included in the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto.

**3. Exhibits**

The following exhibits are filed herewith or are incorporated to other documents previously filed with the SEC. Exhibits 10.8 through 10.31 pertain to executive compensation plans and arrangements. With the exception of those portions of the Annual Report and Proxy Statement that are expressly incorporated by reference in this Form 10-K, such documents are not to be deemed filed as part of this Form 10-K.

Exhibit	Number	Description
	2.1	Stock Purchase Agreement, dated January 26, 2016, by and among TSYS, Vista Equity Partners Fund V, L.P., Vista Equity Partners Fund V-A, L.P., Vista Equity Partners Fund V-B, L.P., Vista Equity Partners Fund V Executive, L.P., VEPF V FAF, L.P., Vista Equity Associates, LLC, and TransFirst Holdings Corp., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated January 27, 2016.
	3.1	Articles of Incorporation of TSYS, as amended, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated April 30, 2009
	3.2	Bylaws of TSYS, as amended, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated July 28, 2009
	4.1	Indenture, dated as of May 22, 2013, between TSYS and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as trustee, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 22, 2013
	4.2	Form of 2.375% Senior Note due 2018, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.2 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 22, 2013
	4.3	Form of 3.750% Senior Note due 2023, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 22, 2013
	10.1	Credit Agreement of TSYS, dated as of September 10, 2012, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Capital Markets and U.S. Bank National Association, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, and The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Bank and U.S. Bank National Association, as Syndication Agents, and the other lenders named therein, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated September 11, 2012
	10.2	First Amendment, dated as of April 8, 2013, to the Credit Agreement of TSYS, dated as of September 10, 2012, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Capital Markets and U.S. Bank National Association, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, and The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Bank and U.S. Bank National Association, as Syndication Agents, and the other lenders named therein, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated April 8, 2013

- 10.3 Second Amendment, dated as of January 26, 2016, to the Credit Agreement of TSYS, dated as of September 10, 2012, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Capital Markets and U.S. Bank National Association, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, and The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regions Bank and U.S. Bank National Association, as Syndication Agents, and the other lenders named therein, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated January 27, 2016
- 10.4 Credit Agreement of TSYS, dated as of April 8, 2013, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., as Syndication Agent, Regions Bank and U.S. Bank National Association, as Documentation Agents, and other lenders party thereto, with J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, The Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regional Capital Markets, and U.S. Bank National Association, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated April 8, 2013
- 10.5 First Amendment, dated as of January 26, 2016, to the Credit Agreement of TSYS, dated as of April 8, 2013, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., as Syndication Agent, Regions Bank and U.S. Bank National Association, as Documentation Agents, and other lenders party thereto, with J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, The Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Regional Capital Markets, and U.S. Bank National Association, as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated January 27, 2016
- 10.6 Bridge Term Loan Facility Commitment Letter, dated January 26, 2016, by and among Total System Services, Inc., J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Bank of America N.A., The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., U.S. Bank National Association, Wells Fargo Securities, LLC and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated January 27, 2016

- 10.7 Credit Agreement of Total System Services, Inc., dated as of February 23, 2016, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer, Bank of America, N.A., as Syndication Agent and L/C Issuer, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, LTD., U.S. Bank National Association and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Co-Documentation Agents, and the other lenders party thereto, with J.P. Morgan Securities LLC and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, LTD., U.S. Bank National Association and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC as joint lead arrangers and joint bookrunners, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated February 23, 2016

#### **EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PLANS AND ARRANGEMENTS**

- 10.8 Amended and Restated Total System Services, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2010, as filed with the SEC on August 9, 2010
- 10.9 Amended and Restated Total System Services, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2008, as filed with the SEC on August 7, 2008
- 10.10 Wage Continuation Agreement of TSYS, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1992, as filed with the SEC on March 18, 1993
- 10.11 Split Dollar Insurance Agreement of TSYS, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.10 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1993, as filed with the SEC on March 22, 1994
- 10.12 Change of Control Agreement for executive officers of TSYS, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007, as filed with the SEC on February 29, 2008
- 10.13 Split Dollar Insurance Agreement and related Executive Benefit Substitution Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.19 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001, as filed with the SEC on March 19, 2002
- 10.14 Summary of Board of Directors Compensation, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2015, as filed with the SEC on August 6, 2015

- 10.15 Total System Services, Inc. 2007 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated April 24, 2007
- 10.16 Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan (formerly named the 2008 Omnibus Plan), incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 4, 2012
- 10.17 Form of Non-Employee Director Fully Vested Stock Option Agreement for the Total System Services, Inc. 2007 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.37 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010, as filed with the SEC on February 28, 2011
- 10.18 Form of Non-Employee Director Fully Vested Share Award Agreement for the Total System Services, Inc. 2007 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.38 of TSYS Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010, as filed with the SEC on February 28, 2011
- 10.19 Form of Stock Option Agreement for 2011 stock option awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2008 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2011, as filed with the SEC on May 6, 2011
- 10.20 Form of Indemnification Agreement for directors and executive officers of TSYS, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated July 25, 2007
- 10.21 Form of Senior Executive Stock Option Agreement for 2012 stock option awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2008 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2012, as filed with the SEC on May 7, 2012
- 10.22 Form of Senior Executive Stock Option Agreement for 2013 stock option awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2013, as filed with the SEC on May 8, 2013
- 10.23 Form of Senior Executive Performance Share Agreement for 2013 performance share awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2013, as filed with the SEC on May 8, 2013



- 10.24 Form of Senior Executive Stock Option Agreement for 2014 stock option awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2014, as filed with the SEC on May 8, 2014
- 10.25 Form of Senior Executive Performance Share Agreement for 2014 performance share awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2014, as filed with the SEC on May 8, 2014
- 10.26 Form of Senior Executive Stock Option Agreement for 2015 stock option awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2015, as filed with the SEC on May 7, 2015
- 10.27 Form of Senior Executive Performance Share Agreement for 2015 performance share awards under the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Omnibus Plan, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended March 31, 2015, as filed with the SEC on May 7, 2015
- 10.28 Form of Amendment to Senior Executive Stock Option Agreement and Senior Executive Performance Share Agreement, incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the Quarter ended September 30, 2015, as filed with the SEC on November 5, 2015
- 10.29 Transition and Retirement Agreement, dated June 23, 2014, between Philip W. Tomlinson and Total System Services, Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated June 23, 2014
- 10.30 Restrictive Covenant Agreement, dated June 23, 2014, between Philip W. Tomlinson and Total System Services, Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated June 23, 2014
- 10.31 Consulting Agreement, dated June 23, 2014, between Philip W. Tomlinson and Total System Services, Inc., incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of TSYS Current Report on Form 8-K dated June 23, 2014
- 13.1 Certain specified pages of TSYS 2015 Annual Report to Shareholders which are incorporated herein by reference
- 21.1 Subsidiaries of Total System Services, Inc.
- 23.1\* Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm
- 24.1 Powers of Attorney contained on the signature pages of this 2015 Annual Report on Form 10-K and incorporated herein by reference
- 31.1\* Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

- 31.2\* Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 32 Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
- 99.1\* Annual Report on Form 11-K for the Total System Services, Inc. 2012 Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the year ended December 31, 2015 (to be filed as an amendment hereto within 120 days of the end of the period covered by this report)
- 101 Interactive Data File

\* Filed Herewith

We agree to furnish the SEC, upon request, a copy of each instrument with respect to issues of long-term debt. The principal amount of any individual instrument, which has not been previously filed, does not exceed ten percent of the total assets of TSYS and our subsidiaries on a consolidated basis.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, Total System Services, Inc. has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES, INC.

April 13, 2016

By: /s/ M. Troy Woods  
M. Troy Woods,  
Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer  
(Principal Executive Officer)