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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

Jones Richard A. Issuer Symbol Alliance HealthCare Services, Inc (Check all applicable) [AIQ] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O ALLIANCE HEALTHCARE 03/23/2016 President, Alliance Radiology SERVICES, INC., 100 BAYVIEW

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CIRCLE, SUITE 400

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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

(Zip)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(State)

(City)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number or Derivative Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration (Month/Da	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 e Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.93	03/23/2016		A	10,697	<u>(1)</u>	03/23/2026	Common Stock	10,697	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/23/2016		A	6,450	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	6,450	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

03/25/2016

Jones Richard A. C/O ALLIANCE HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC. 100 BAYVIEW CIRCLE, SUITE 400 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

President, Alliance Radiology

Signatures

/s/ Christina Buresh, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard A. Jones

**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).
- Vests in three substantially equal installments on each of March 23, 2017, 2018 and 2019, subject to continued service through each
 (1) applicable vesting date. The vesting of the award was also subject to timely execution by the Reporting Person of an amendment to the severance agreement between the Issuer and the Reporting Person (the "Vesting Condition"), which has been met.
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. The restricted stock units vest in (2) three substantially equal installments on each of March 23, 2017, 2018 and 2019, subject to continued service through each applicable vesting date. The vesting of the award was also subject to the Vesting Condition, which has been met.

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