

AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Linnen Edward P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.
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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)
01/22/2014

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP, Chief HR Officer

PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/23/2014		M	3,302 A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	6,560	D	
Common Stock	01/23/2014		F ⁽²⁾	1,248 D \$ 40.07	5,312	D	
Common Stock					3,496	I	By 401(k) plan

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 Derivative 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 or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	01/22/2014		A	6,379	⁽³⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	6,379
Performance Based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	01/22/2014		A	4,101	⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	4,101
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	01/23/2014		M	3,302	⁽⁶⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	3,302

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Linnen Edward P 6 SYLVAN WAY PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054			SVP, Chief HR Officer	

Signatures

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Edward P. Linnen 01/24/2014

__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) Units convert to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis upon vesting.
- (2) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 3,302 shares of restricted stock units.
- (3) Grant vests in three equal installments on January 22, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (4) Expiration date not applicable.
- (5) Units vest on January 22, 2017 based on the Company's attainment of pre-established financial performance goals.

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(6) Grant vests in three equal installments on January 23, 2014, 2015 and 2016.

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