TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES INC Form 8-K October 23, 2012

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

October 23, 2012

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

Total System Services, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Georgia (State of Incorporation)

1-10254 (Commission File Number) One TSYS Way, Columbus, Georgia 31901 58-1493818 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

 $(Address\ of\ principal\ executive\ offices)\ (Zip\ Code)$

(706) 649-2310

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 23, 2012, Total System Services, Inc. (Registrant) issued a press release announcing financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2012. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference. The information in the press release shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or incorporated by reference into any document filed under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

<u>Item 7.01</u> <u>Regulation FD Disclosure.</u>

On October 23, 2012, Registrant will hold an investor conference call and webcast to discuss its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2012. A copy of the presentation to be used during the conference call is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2 and incorporated herein by reference. The information in the presentation shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or incorporated by reference into any document filed under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description
99.1 Registrant s press release dated October 23, 2012
99.2 Registrant s presentation dated October 23, 2012

Signature

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TOTAL SYSTEM SERVICES, INC.

(Registrant)

Dated: October 23, 2012 By: /s/ Kathleen Moates

Kathleen Moates

Senior Deputy General Counsel

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