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(Print or Type R	esponses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CARLSON LETITIA G C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TELEPHONE & DATA SYSTEMS INC /DE/ [TDS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
30 N. LASA	LLE ST., STE.	4000	10/10/20	-				below)	below)		
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60602			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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Bergen 			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D			ities Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executio any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Special Common	10/10/2006			А	485	А	<u>(1)</u>	3,031.3	D		
Special Common								1,837,119.23 (4)	I	By Voting Trust	
Common Shares								2,108.7	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Amount or Number of Shares on or Il 1,840,819.7 on s	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of	
Series A Common Shares	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Shares or Special Common Shares	1,840,819.7	
Series A Common Shares	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Shares or Special Common Shares	948.7	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CARLSON LETITIA G C 30 N. LASALLE ST., STE. 4000 CHICAGO, IL 60602	Х			
Signatures				
Julie D. Mathews, by power of atty	10/	12/2006		
**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) Shares acquired pursuant to a compensation plan for non-employee directors.
- (2) Series A Common shares are convertible, on a share-for-share basis, into common or special common shares.
- (3) Reporting person is one of four trustees of a voting trust which is record owner of these Series A Common shares and which files its holdings on a form 4. Of these shares, 5496 (73 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) are owned by husband, 92681.5 (12271.5 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) are held by reporting person and husband as custodian for

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children and 686294.6 (16297.6 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) were contributed to a family partnership of which reporting person is a general partner. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by husband and the shares held as custodian for children. Includes 8459.2 shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan.

Reporting person is one of four trustees of a voting trust which is record owner of these Series A Common shares and which files its holdings on a form 4. Of these shares, 5496 (73 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) are owned by husband, 92114.3 (11704.3 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) are held by reporting person and husband as custodian for children and 683158.1 (13161.1 earned pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan) were contributed to a family partnership of which reporting person is a general partner. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by husband and the shares held as custodian for children. Includes 8462.5 shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan.

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