FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BILLEADEAU SCOTT A (Last) (First) (Middle) 601 MERRITT 7				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/13/2012								(Ch	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer neck all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Street) NORWA	LK C		06851 (Zip)		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran- Date (Month				2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transac Code (Ir 8)	ction nstr. V	4. Securit Disposed 5)	ties Acquire I Of (D) (Inst	ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 4 Execution Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		e.g., pu	ts, calls, warrants, 5. Number 6. ansaction of E			6. options, convertit 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$87.26	01/13/2012		Co		v	(A) 2,622	(D)	Date Exercisable	- [expiration oate	Title FactSet Common Stock	Number of Shares	(2)	35,94	1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Non-qualified stock options granted to outside Directors vest ratably at 20% per year over five years upon the anniversary date of the grant and expire seven years from the date the options were granted.
- 2. Column 8 has been intentionally left blank.

/s/ Scott A. Billeadeau

01/17/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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