FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SALERNO F ROBERT						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC. [CAR]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/04/2011								X		cector 10% Ov cer (give title Other (s below) Vice Chairman			specify	
(Street) PARSIPPANY NJ 07054 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Indiv Line) X	Form	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ially (Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					nd 5) Secur Benef		icially d Following	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indi (I) (Instr. 4	ect rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			action(s) 3 and 4)			` ,	
Common	2011	011		P		10,000	A	\$9.11	12 ⁽¹⁾	14	46,652	D								
	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)	ve Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transa Code (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

1. Price reflects the weighted average purchase price for the purchase transactions made on the date reported above. The purchase prices ranged from \$9.06 to \$9.17. Mr. Salerno will provide, upon request by the Staff, the Company, or a security holder of the Company, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.

Remarks:

<u>Jean M. Sera, by Power of</u> <u>Attorney for F. Robert Salerno</u>

10/06/2011

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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