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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CATHCART W ALUN</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC. [CAR]									5. Relationship of Reportir (Check all applicable) X Director				g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner				
(Last) 6 SYLVA	ast) (First) (Middle) SYLVAN WAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2012									Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)		
(Street) PARSIPF (City)			7054 Zip)		4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of 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 Person								
		Tabl	e I - Non-	Deriva	ative	e Seci	urities	Acc	qui	red,	Dis	posed	of, o	Benefic	ciall	ly Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		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 Followin Reported			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr.					
							Cod	de	v	Amo	ount	(A) or (D)	A) or Price		ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)					4)	
Common Stock 0			08/03	3/2012	2				A		1,	,194	A	A \$15.17 ⁽¹⁾		12,464		I		Held by NQ Deferred Compensation Plan	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date, I if any				ransaction of Code (Instr. Derivati		tive ties ed	Expiration (Month/Date)					7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	deriva Securi Benefi Owned Follow Repor	ities icially d ving ted action(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
c		Code	v	(A)	Date D) Exercisa				Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares		1 1								

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award represents the portion of non-employee director retainer fees through September 30, 2012 paid in deferred common stock of the Company. All shares are deferred into the Non-Employee Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and converted into deferred stock units thereunder. Payable upon termination of service as director in accordance with the plan.

Remarks:

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for W. Alun Cathcart

08/07/2012

** 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).
- ** 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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