

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SALERNO F ROBERT</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>6 SYLVAN WAY</u>  (Street) <u>PARSIPPANY NJ 07054</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC. [ CAR ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>President &amp; COO</b>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/06/2009</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/06/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>		8,708	A	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	58,688	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2009		F <sup>(2)</sup>		3,898	D	\$0.39	54,790	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>		11,064	A	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	65,854	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2009		F <sup>(4)</sup>		3,765	D	\$0.39	62,089	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 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. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/06/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>			8,708	(3)	(6)	Common Stock	8,708	\$0	17,415	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/06/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>			11,064	(5)	(6)	Common Stock	11,064	\$0	33,192	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents restricted stock units which automatically converted to Common Stock upon the vesting of such units on a one-to-one basis.
2. Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 8,708 shares of restricted stock units on March 6, 2009.
3. Original grant vests in four installments on March 6, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.
4. Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 11,064 shares of restricted stock units on March 6, 2009.
5. Original grant vests in four installments on March 6, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.
6. Expiration date not applicable.

**Remarks:**

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for F. Robert Salerno 03/10/2009

\*\* 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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