Siniscalchi Patric Form 4 January 30, 2012

#### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Siniscalchi Patric	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC. [CAR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6 SYLVAN WAY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2012	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Pres, Latin Amer/Asia Pacific			
(Street) PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054	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 Person			
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(City)	(State) (	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	01/26/2012		M(1)	8,339	A	\$ 0 (1)	57,065	D		
Common Stock	01/26/2012		F(2)	3,240	D	\$ 14.19	53,825	D		
Common Stock	01/27/2012		M <u>(1)</u>	8,095	A	\$ 0 (1)	61,920	D		
Common Stock	01/27/2012		F(4)	2,943	D	\$ 14.6	58,977	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. 5. Number Transactiom Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	01/26/2012		M <u>(1)</u>		8,339	(3)	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	8,339	9
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	01/27/2012		M(1)		8,095	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	8,095	S

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Siniscalchi Patric 6 SYLVAN WAY PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

Pres, Latin Amer/Asia Pacific

### **Signatures**

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Patric

Siniscalchi 01/30/2012

\*\*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) 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 8,339 shares of restricted stock units.
- (3) Original grant vests in three equal installments on January 26, 2012, 2013 and 2014.

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- (4) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 8,095 shares of restricted stock units.
- (5) Original grant vests in three equal installments on January 27, 2011, 2012 and 2013.
- (6) Expiration date not applicable.

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