

SEREDA PETER L
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SEREDA PETER L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TELEPHONE & DATA SYSTEMS INC /DE/ [TDS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2004

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP & Treasurer

30 N. LASALLE ST., STE. 4000
 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting
 (check applicable line)

CHICAGO, IL 60602

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	12/31/2004	Â	J ⁽¹⁾	0.52 A \$ ⁽¹⁾	239.55	I	By 401K plan

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)

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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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 102.79	Â	Â	Â	Â (A) Â (D)	12/15/2000 04/28/2010	Common Shares	5,700
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 117.51	Â	Â	Â	Â (A) Â (D) Â (2)	09/16/2010	Common Shares	9,800
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 99.44	Â	Â	Â	Â (A) Â (D)	12/15/2001 04/30/2011	Common Shares	5,305
Option (Right to buy)	\$ 66	Â	Â	Â	Â (A) Â (D)	12/15/2004 05/08/2014	Common Shares	10,380

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SEREDA PETER L 30 N. LASALLE ST., STE. 4000 CHICAGO, IL 60602	Â	Â	Â VP & Treasurer	Â

Signatures

Julie D. Mathews, by power of atty
 01/19/2005
 **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) Voluntary reporting of shares acquired in 2004 in the TDS 401K. The information is based on a plan statement dated 12/31/04. The number of shares fluctuates and is attributable to the price of the shares on 12/31/04.
- (2) Granted under the 1998 Long term incentive plan. The option becomes exercisable with respect to 2450 common shares on 12/15/01, 12/15/02, 12/15/03 and with respect to an additional 2450 common shares on 12/15/04 for a total of 9800 common shares.

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