#### SALERNO F ROBERT

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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) 6 SYLVAN WA	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2011	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice Chairman		
PARSIPPANY,	(Street) . 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		

(City)	(State) (	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/27/2011		M <u>(1)</u>	21,682	A	\$0	131,752	D	
Common Stock	01/27/2011		F(3)	6,804	D	\$ 14.6	124,948	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			ative Expiration Date ities (Month/Day/Year) ired (A) sposed of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restrited Stock Units	\$ 0 (2)	01/27/2011		M		21,682	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	21,682	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SALERNO F ROBERT 6 SYLVAN WAY PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054	X		Vice Chairman					

# **Signatures**

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for F. Robert
Salerno
01/28/2011

\*\*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) Units convert to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis upon vesting.
- (3) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of 21,682 shares of restricted stock units.
- (4) Original grant vests in three equal installments on January 27, 2011, 2012 and 2013.
- (5) Expiration date not applicable.

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