#### PROVIDENCE SERVICE CORP

Form 4

August 14, 2013

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

MEINTS KRISTI			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROVIDENCE SERVICE CORP				I	Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 64 E BROADWAY		[PRSC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/13/2013				_	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
TUCSON,	(Street)		4. If Am	endment, Donth/Day/Yea		al	A - -	o. Individual or Join Applicable Line)  X_ Form filed by Or  Form filed by More	ne Reporting Per	son	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu		red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	EXECUTION ANY (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit DISPOS (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of		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)	
Common Stock	08/13/2013			M	10,000	A	\$ 17.13	58,829	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2013			S	10,000	D	\$ 28.95	48,829	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2013			M	20,000	A	\$ 20.3	68,829	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2013			S	20,000	D	\$ 28.8331	48,829	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	TransactionDerivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.13	08/13/2013		M	10,000	(2)	01/22/2014	Common Stock	10,000	
Stock Option (right to	\$ 20.3	08/13/2013		M	20,000	(2)	01/19/2015	Common Stock	20,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

MEINTS KRISTI 64 E BROADWAY X TUCSON, AZ 85701

# **Signatures**

/s/ Kevin Moore,

Attorney-in-fact 08/13/2013

\*\*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 the weighted-average market price per share at time of sale. The market price per share at time of sale ranged from \$28.70 to \$29.01, thus, the exact per share market prices were within a one dollar range.

(2) Immediately

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#### **Remarks:**

Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney

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