#### VELDRAN RICHARD H

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# FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * VELDRAN RICHARD H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DUN & BRADSTREET CORP/NW [DNB]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 103 JFK PA	, ,	(Middle)		of Earliest Transaction (Day/Year) 2012				Director 10% Owner Sylvantification of the control				
				ndment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
SHORT HII	LLS, NJ 07078							Person	viore than One Re	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acc	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if 'Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I)			
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	03/01/2012			A	1,773 (1)	A	\$ 0	7,602.9534	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2012			A	6,250 (2)	A	\$0	13,852.9534	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2012			F	339 (3)	D	\$ 82.8	13,513.9534	D			
Common Stock								1,397.2682 (4)	I	Held in ESPP		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

**ESPP** 

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title [
Non-Qualified Stock Option - right to buy	\$ 82.8	03/01/2012		A	11,700	03/01/2013(5)	03/01/2022	Common Stock

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VELDRAN RICHARD H 103 JFK PARKWAY SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078

SVP, Chief Financial Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Christine Cappuccia for Richard H. Veldran

03/05/2012

\*\*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) Grant of restricted stock which vests in three installments -- 20% one year from grant date, 30% two years from grant date and the remaining 50% three years from grant date.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock which vests in three installments -- 50% three years from grant date, 25% four years from grant date and the remaining 25% five years from grant date.
- (3) The reporting person made an irrevocable election in November 2011 to satisfy tax withholding obligations relating to the vesting of shares of Common Stock previously awarded, through the deduction of shares from the vested amount.
- (4) Held in the issuer's employee stock purchase plan (ESPP) as of 2/29/12, and includes 79.4366 shares acquired under the ESPP since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (5) One-fourth of the option vests each year beginning on the date indicated.

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