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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement PAM TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INC [PTSI] West Allen (Month/Day/Year) 06/03/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) **PO BOX 188** (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person TONTITOWN, ARÂ 72770 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One VP Finance, CFO, Secy, Treas Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 0 D Â COMMON STOCK, NO PAR VALUE Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible\ securities)$

Date Exer	2. Date Exercisable and		3. Title and Amount of		5.	Nature of
(Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Indirect
		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Beneficial
		(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	Ownership
Data	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	(Instr. 5)
				Security	Direct (D)	ect (D)
Exercisable					or Indirect	
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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
STOCK OPTION GRANT (RIGHT TO BUY)	(1)	11/30/2020	Common Stock, no par value	2,000	\$ 11.22	D	Â
PERFORMANCE-BASED OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	(2)	11/30/2020	Common Stock, no par value	125	\$ 11.22	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
West Allen PO BOX 188 TONTITOWN Â ARÂ 72770	Â	Â	VP Finance, CFO, Secy, Treas	Â

Signatures

/s/ C. Douglas Buford as attorney in fact for Allen
West

11/19/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) This option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on November 30, 2011.

On November 30, 2010, the reporting person was granted an option for 1,920 shares to vest based on the satisfaction of certain quarterly and annual performance criteria by P.A.M. Transportation Services, Inc. (the "Company") for each quarter in 2011 and

for the year ended 2011. One hundred and twenty-five (125) shares became exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the Company's earnings release in which the applicable performance criteria were met. The performance criteria for the second quarter of 2011 were met, resulting in the vesting of 25 shares on July 27, 2012, and 25 shares on July 27, 2013.

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