

Capucille Tony  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|--|---------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *              |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol                     |  |
| Â Capucille Tony                                       |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC [HPY]                                    |  |
| (Last)   | (First) | (Middle)                             | 05/08/2013   |  |
| C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC.,Â 90 NASSAU STREET |         |                                      | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                       | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street)   |         |                                      |  | (Check all applicable)                               |
| PRINCETON,Â NJÂ 08542                                  |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Director                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner                   |
| (City)   | (State) | (Zip)                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                       |
|  |         |                                      | (give title below)   | (specify below)                                      |
|  |         |                                      | Chief Sales Officer  |  |
|  |         |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |  |
|  |         |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |  |
|  |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |  |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock                       | 1,399  | D   | Â  |

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                        | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (1)            | Â (1)           | Common Stock | 5,250                      | \$ 0     | D Â                                   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Capucille Tony<br>C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC.<br>90 NASSAU STREET<br>PRINCETON, NJ 08542 | Â             | Â         | Â Chief Sales Officer | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Edythe K. Nipper, Attorney in Fact 05/17/2013

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) The restricted stock units vest in equal annual installments on the anniversary of April 26th. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as administratively practicable following the vesting of the restricted stock units.

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