

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOLMES TOD C (Last) (First) (Middle) 110 S.E. 6TH STREET 28TH FLOOR (Street) FORT LAUDERDALE FL 33301 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REPUBLIC SERVICES INC [RSG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Sr.VP/Chief Financial Officer
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2006	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/10/2006		A		680.5868 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$39.4	75,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		M		20,000	A	\$14.55	95,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		M		50,000	A	\$18.4375	145,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,800	D	\$40.36	142,515.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		5,300	D	\$40.35	137,215.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		1,600	D	\$40.34	135,615.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,800	D	\$40.33	132,815.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		300	D	\$40.32	132,515.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,900	D	\$40.31	129,615.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		3,400	D	\$40.3	126,215.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		6,200	D	\$40.29	120,015.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		4,400	D	\$40.28	115,615.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		3,600	D	\$40.27	112,015.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		1,800	D	\$40.26	110,215.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		1,300	D	\$40.25	108,915.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,300	D	\$40.24	106,615.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		15,900	D	\$40.23	90,715.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		600	D	\$40.22	90,115.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		200	D	\$40.2	89,915.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		3,500	D	\$40.05	86,415.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		6,000	D	\$40.04	80,415.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,000	D	\$40.02	78,415.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		1,000	D	\$40.01	77,415.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S		2,100	D	\$40	75,315.9732	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	5. Code of Transaction		6. Number of Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	7. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	8. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	9. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	10. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	11. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	12. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A)	(D)								Date Exercisable
Common Stock Option	\$14.55	03/10/2006		M		20,000	(2) 01/30/2011	Common Stock	20,000	\$0.00	0	D	
Common Stock Option	\$18.4375	03/10/2006		M		50,000	(3) 01/04/2009	Common Stock	50,000	\$0.00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired under the Republic Services, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan.
2. The options vested in four equal installments commencing on 01/30/2001.
3. The options vested in four equal installments commencing on 1/04/1999.

Remarks:

/s/ David A. Barclay, Attorney-in-Fact 03/13/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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