FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person			Director 10% Owner
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	2. Issuer Name and Ticker	4. Statement for	Officer (give title below)
(Last) (First) (Middle)	or Trading Symbol	(Month/Day/Year)	X(1) Other (specify below)
4554 P	Republic Services, Inc. (RSG)	3/10/2003	
1551 Eastlake Avenue E.	3. I.R.S. Identification		7. Individual or Joint/Group
(Street)	Number of Reporting Person, if an entity	5. If Amendment, Date of	Filing (Check Applicable Line)
Seattle WA 98102	(voluntary)	Original (Month/Day/Year)	\underline{X} Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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. Transa (Instr. 8)	ction Code	4. Securitie (Instr. 3, 4 a		(A) or Disposed of (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and	Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		69,000	A	18.65			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		1,000	A	18.73			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		1,000	A	18.74			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		1,500	A	18.75			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		500	A	18.76			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		2,600	A	18.77			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		100	A	18.78			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		700	A	18.79			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		17,500	A	18.80			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		7,700	A	18.81			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		P		2,000	A	18.84			
Common Stock	3/10/2003		Р		108,400	A	18.85	462,000	D	

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

		3.	3A. Deemed	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	ion	5. Number Derivative Acquired (. Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4	Securities A) or	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		Amor Unde Secur	rlying		9. Number of Derivative Securities	10. Ownership Form of Derivative	11. Nature
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Transaction Date (Month/Day/ Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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Explanation of Responses:

(1) The Reporting Person may be deemed to be a member of a Section 13(d) group that beneficially owns more than 10% of the issuer's outstanding Common Stock. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities other than those reported above, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such a group exists or that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities of such group for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Michael Larson	3/10/03
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Attorney-in-fact.

Duly authorized under Special Power of Attorney appointing Michael Larson attorney-in-fact, dated March 14, 2001, by and on behalf of William H. Gates III, filed as Exhibit B to Cascade Investment's Amendment No. 1 to Schedule 13D with respect to Pan American Silver Corp. on March 19, 2001, SEC File No. 005-52919, and incorporated by reference herein.

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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