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## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).	

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RODRIGUEZ RAMON A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>REPUBLIC SERVICES INC</u> [ RSG ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Itto Ditto o Le</u>				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) 350 EAST LAS SUITE #1420	EAST LAS OLAS BLVD.		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2007		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)

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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			ate	e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock	(1)	07/16/2007		A		77.4 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	(3)	Common	77.4	\$31.74	23,116.6	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Based on a 1 for 1 conversion.

2. Dividend paid on Stock Units acquired under the Republic Services, Inc. Non-Employee Director Stock Unit Agreement.

3. The shares of phantom stock become payable in stock upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director and become payable in cash upon a change of control of the issuer.

**Remarks:** 

Stock

/s/ David A. Barclay, Attorney-07/17/2007 in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Stock

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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