## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  OCONNOR JAMES E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC. [ RSG ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2010									X Director  X Officer (give title below)  Chairman			10% On Other (a below)		
(Street) PHOEN			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date			Code (			rities Acquired (A) ded Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follov Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and 4		Forn (D) c ollowing (I) (II on(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
		Т	able II - I						juired, D s, optior						Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (1 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		S (I	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owne Form Direct or Ind (I) (In:	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	oer						
Restricted Stock	(1)	10/15/2010			A		578		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	578	B	\$30.74	89,420		D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Based on 1 on 1 conversion.
- 2. Dividends paid on the Restricted Stock Units awarded per the Republic Services, Inc. 2007 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended.

### Remarks:

/s/ Eileen B. Schuler Attorney-

10/19/2010

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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