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# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC. [RSG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
OCONNOR JAMES E	<u></u>	X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 18500 NORTH ALLIED WAY	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2009	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman/CEO				
(Street) PHOENIX AZ 85054	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 12/11/2009	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City) (State) (Zip)	Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene	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 Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130114)
Common Stock	12/09/2009		F		11,346 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$28.83	344,600	D	

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)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares of Republic Services, Inc.'s common stock withheld by the Company to satisfy tax withholding obligations associated with the vesting of restricted shares as of 12/09/2009. The fair market value of the exchanged shares was \$28.83 per share. Mr. O'Connor's Form 4, dated 12/11/2009, has been amended to reflect this transaction.

#### **Remarks:**

/s/ Eileen B. Schuler Attorney-12/<u>29/2009</u> in-Fact

\*\* 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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