FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

	OMB APPRO	VAL				
	OMB Number:	3235-0287				
l	Estimated average burd	en				
	hours per response:	0.5				

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CROGHAN JOHN W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REPUBLIC SERVICES INC [RSG]								(Che	eck all applic	ationship of Reporting I call applicable) Director		10% Ov	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 NORTH WACKER DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2007									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
ROOM 4120						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) CHICAGO IL 60606			60606												Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				I	
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)																	
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curities	Ac	quired, D	isp	osed o	f, or B	ene	eficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquirities Acquiriti						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code V	<i>'</i>	Amount	nount (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(IIISU. 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 D if any (Month/Day)	Date, T	ransaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title Amoun Securit Underly Derivat (Instr. 3	t of es ring ve Se		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	O N O	lumber						
Phantom Stock	(1)	07/16/2007			A		77.4 ⁽²⁾		(3)		(3)	Commo	n	77.4	\$31.74	23,116.6	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:

/s/ David A. Barclay, Attorney- 07/17/2007 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.