

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>HOLMES TOD C</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 110 S.E. 6TH STREET 28TH FLOOR (Street) FORT LAUDERDALE FL 33301 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>REPUBLIC SERVICES INC [RSG]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Sr.VP/Chief Financial Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>04/30/2004</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	04/30/2004		S		1,057	D	\$29.09	31,722.4658	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2004		S		1,120	D	\$29.01	30,602.4658	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2004		S		14,724	D	\$29	15,878.4658	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2004		M		15,000	A	\$11.875	30,878.4658	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2004		M		20,000	A	\$14.55	50,878.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		63	D	\$29.2	50,815.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		740	D	\$29.19	50,075.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		21	D	\$29.18	50,054.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		190	D	\$29.17	49,864.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		211	D	\$29.16	49,653.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		718	D	\$29.1	48,935.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		1,226	D	\$29.06	47,709.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		380	D	\$29.05	47,329.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		211	D	\$29.04	47,118.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		508	D	\$29.03	46,610.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		2,177	D	\$29.02	44,433.4658	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2004		S		9,404	D	\$29	35,029.4658	D	
Common Stock								35,959.5705 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock								1,203.9055 ⁽²⁾	I	By 401(k) Plan

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)					

