

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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| <b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b><br><u>HOLMES TOD C</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>18500 N. ALLIED WAY</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>PHOENIX AZ 85054</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | <b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b><br><u>REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC. [ RSG ]</u> | <b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b><br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)<br><u>Executive VP/CFO</u> |
|  | <b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b><br><u>12/11/2009</u>                 |  |
|  |  | <b>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b>  |

**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                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 1,300   | D          | \$29.56 | 88,700  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 13,493  | D          | \$29.57 | 75,207  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 250   | D          | \$29.58 | 74,957  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 5   | D          | \$29.59 | 74,952  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 7,801   | D          | \$29.66 | 67,151  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 4,739   | D          | \$29.67 | 62,412  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 2,312   | D          | \$29.68 | 60,100  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 100   | D          | \$29.69 | 60,000  | I  | Shares Held by Spouse                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/14/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 5,915   | D          | \$29.51 | 115,493   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/14/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 4,600   | D          | \$29.52 | 110,893   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/14/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 2,450   | D          | \$29.55 | 108,443   | 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. 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) | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date |   |  |  |   |  |

Explanation of Responses:

**Remarks:**

/s/ Eileen B. Schuler Attorney-  
in-Fact 12/14/2009

\*\* 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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