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UNITED STATES	S SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE C Washington, D.C. 20549	COMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287	
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obligations may continue Section 17(a) of the	Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchang Public Utility Holding Company Act of of the Investment Company Act of 194	f 1935 or Section	response	0.5	
(Print or Type Responses)					
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HUDSON HARRIS W	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REPUBLIC SERVICES INC [RSG]	5. Relationship of Issuer	Reporting Pers	son(s) to	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1850 S.E. 17TH STREET, SUITE 300	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2007	(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director Officer (give title <u>X</u> Other (specify below) Vice Chairman			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33316		Form filed by M Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
(Instr. 3) any	on Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		1,070.6166 <u>(1)</u>	I	By 401(k)	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Num onof Derivat Securiti Acquira (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	tive ies ed ed	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day,	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	(2)	10/15/2007	А	116 (3)		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	116	\$ 33.9

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
Reporting O when Munic / Municiss	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
HUDSON HARRIS W 1850 S.E. 17TH STREET SUITE 300 FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33316	Х			Vice Chairman	
Signatures					

/s/ David A. Barclay, Attorney-in-Fact	10/16/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Total reflects dividends paid under the Company's 401(k) Plan since the last report filed.
- (2) Based on a 1 for 1 conversion.
- (3) Dividend paid on Stock Units acquired under the Republic Services, Inc. Non-Employee Director Stock Unit Agreement.
- (4) 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.

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