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Form 4 May 18, 2015

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if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to **SECURITIES** Section 16.

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

MILLS STEVEN A Issuer Symbol INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS (Check all applicable) MACHINES CORP [IBM] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) IBM CORPORATION, ONE NEW 05/15/2015 **Executive Vice President**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ORCHARD ROAD

(Zip)

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ARMONK, NY 10504

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 7. Nature 1. Title of 3. 5. Amount of 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDisposed of (D) Securities Ownership of Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned Ownership (Instr. 8) Direct (D) or Indirect **Following** (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Code V Price Amount Common $\mathbf{I}^{(1)}$ 05/15/2015 7,266.2839 D 156,047.551 D Stock 173.26

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)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu or Di (D)	rivative Expiration Date Underlyi curities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 aquired (A) Disposed of) str. 3, 4,		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)	05/15/2015		<u>I(3)</u>		33,110	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	33,110	\$ 1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MILLS STEVEN A			Enganting				
IBM CORPORATION			Executive				
ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD			Vice				
ARMONK, NY 10504			President				

Signatures

M. Clemens on behalf of S. A.
Mills

05/18/2015

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Intra-plan transfer out of the IBM Stock Fund of the IBM 401(k) Plus Plan.
- (2) Phantom stock units convert to the cash value of the company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Intra-plan transfer under the IBM Excess 401(k) Plus Plan.
- (4) Distribution of phantom stock units under the IBM Excess 401(k) Plus Plan is deferred until separation from the company. The reporting person may transfer these phantom stock units into an alternative investment account under such plan.

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