

SORENSEN ALLAN C
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SORENSEN ALLAN C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.
 [RSG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 413 WHISKEY ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/21/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

AIKEN, SC 29801

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	08/21/2009		M			15,000		D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			400	\$ 26.055	14,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.05	14,500	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.045	14,400	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.035	14,300	D

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Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	700	D	\$ 26.025	13,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	12,000	D	\$ 26.015	1,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	400	D	\$ 26.01	1,200	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	400	D	\$ 26.0075	800	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	800	D	\$ 26	0	D

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)	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 9.5	08/21/2009		M	15,000	<u>(1)</u> 01/03/2010	Common Stock 15,000
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	08/13/2009		G V	30,742	<u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock 30,742
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SORENSEN ALLAN C 413 WHISKEY ROAD	X			

AIKEN, SC 29801

Signatures

/s/ Eileen B. Schuler
Attorney-In-Fact

08/21/2009

__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) Under this stock option grant, 15,000 options were exercisable and fully vested.
- (2) Previously reported restricted stock units were transferred by reporting person to the Allan C. Sorensen Revocable Trust U/A dated 02/05/2007 in which the reporting person serves as the Trustee.

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