

REPUBLIC SERVICES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**HOLMES TOD C**

(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

**REPUBLIC SERVICES INC [RSG]**

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

**03/10/2006**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

**Sr.VP/Chief Financial Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/10/2006		A	680.5868 (1) \$ 39.4	75,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		M	20,000 \$ 14.55	95,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		M	50,000 \$ 18.4375	145,315.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S	2,800 \$ 40.36	142,515.9732	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2006		S	5,300 \$ 40.35	137,215.9732	D	

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Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	1,600	D	\$ 40.34	135,615.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	2,800	D	\$ 40.33	132,815.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	300	D	\$ 40.32	132,515.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	2,900	D	\$ 40.31	129,615.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	3,400	D	\$ 40.3	126,215.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	6,200	D	\$ 40.29	120,015.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	4,400	D	\$ 40.28	115,615.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	3,600	D	\$ 40.27	112,015.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 40.26	110,215.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 40.25	108,915.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	2,300	D	\$ 40.24	106,615.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	15,900	D	\$ 40.23	90,715.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	600	D	\$ 40.22	90,115.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	200	D	\$ 40.2	89,915.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	3,500	D	\$ 40.05	86,415.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	6,000	D	\$ 40.04	80,415.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	2,000	D	\$ 40.02	78,415.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 40.01	77,415.9732	D
Common Stock	03/10/2006	S	2,100	D	\$ 40	75,315.9732	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option	\$ 14.55	03/10/2006		M	20,000	<u>(2)</u>	01/30/2011	Common Stock	20,000
Common Stock Option	\$ 18.4375	03/10/2006		M	50,000	<u>(3)</u>	01/04/2009	Common Stock	50,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOLMES TOD C 110 S.E. 6TH STREET 28TH FLOOR FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301			Sr.VP/Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ David A. Barclay,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/13/2006

\*\*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) Acquired under the Republic Services, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) The options vested in four equal installments commencing on 01/30/2001.
- (3) The options vested in four equal installments commencing on 1/04/1999.

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