### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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obligations may continue. See
Instruction 1(b).

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SLIPSAGER HENRIK C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ ABM ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last)	(Fi	rst) (	Middle)												X	Offic	er (give title w)		Other ( pelow)	(specify	
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SUITE 300						02/07/2011															
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(Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
NEW YO	ORK N	NY 10176													X	Forn	m filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(Si	ate) (	Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ur) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securit Disposed 5)			ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			l and Secui Benet		icially d Following	Form: Dir (D) or Ind	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)	
Common Stock 02/07/											550(1)	)	A	\$26.64		4 210,389 <sup>(2)</sup>		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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transactio Code (Inst			n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Dividend equivalent rights (DERs) accrued on the restricted stock units granted under the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan. DERs vest in the same manner as the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each DER is the economic equivalent of one share of ABM common stock.
- 2. Includes 45,935 unvested RSUs, 27,878 vested RSUs, the receipt of which has been deferred and DERs relating to the RSUs, adjusted to reflect the cumulative effect of fractional shares, and 31,743 performance shares earned but not vested with respect to performance shares granted on 1/12/2009 and 1/11/2010, and DERs related thereto.

# Remarks:

By: Barbara L. Smithers, by power of attorney

02/09/2011

\*\* 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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