FORM 4

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

OMB Number:	3235-0287						
Expires:	December 31, 2014						
Estimated average burden							
hours per	0.5						

response:

OMB APPROVAL

	ddress of Reporting	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/</u> [ABM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2003	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr.VP, Gen.Counsel, Corp.Sec						
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
F			-	X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City)	(State) (Zip)			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2A. Deemed 6. Ownership 2. Transaction 3. Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Beneficial Execution Date, Transaction Securitie (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 5) Beneficially if any (Month/Day/Year) 8) **Owned Following** (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (A) or (D) v Price Code Amount

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(eigi, pulo, ouio, warranto, optiono, 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. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Options	13.95	05/07/2003		Α		40,000		05/07/2004 ⁽¹⁾	05/07/2013	Common Stock	40,000	\$0 ⁽³⁾	40,000	D	
Stock Options	13.95	05/07/2003		Α		80,000		08/08/1988 ⁽²⁾	05/07/2013	Common Stock	80,000	\$0 ⁽³⁾	80,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On the anniversary date of the grant, vest 20% each year for five years

2. Price-Vested Performance Options that vest during the first four years at a rate tied to the price of ABM's common stock, 25% at each of \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, and \$27.50, and to the extent not accelerated vest May 7, 2011

3. Employee Stock Option

Linda S. Auwers

05/09/2003

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.