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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres	s of Reporting Persor	*)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/</u> [ABM]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) 551 FIFTH AVE SUITE 300	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2010	X	Officer (give title below) Executive Vice Pr	Other (specify below) resident	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10176			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

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)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities A Disposed Of (5)			Securities Beneficially	(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)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	09/08/2010		Α		5,057 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$0.00	44,514 ⁽²⁾	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of		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 ⁽³⁾	\$21.49	09/08/2010		Α		17,195		(4)	09/08/2017	Common Stock	17,195	\$0	17,195	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted stock units (RSUs) granted under the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan, representing a contingent right to receive shares of common stock. Units vest 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 50% on the fourth anniversary of the grant date, and will settle in shares of common stock. Dividend equivalent rights (DERs) will accrue.

2. Includes 33,402 RSUs and DERs relating to the RSUs, adjusted to reflect the cumulative effect of fractional shares, and 6,729 performance shares earned but not vested with respect to performance shares granted on 1/12/2009 and DERs related thereto.

3. Stock option grant under the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan.

4. 25% exercisable on 9/8/2011, and 25% on the anniversary date of each of the following 3 years.

Remarks:

By: Barbara L. Smithers, by

power of attorney

09/10/2010

** 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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