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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Rometty Virginia M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP [IBM]

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(First) IBM CORPORATION, 294 ROUTE

(Street)

(State)

100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2007

X_ Officer (give title below)

Issuer

Other (specify

10% Owner

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SOMERS, NY 10589

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Derivative Conversion

5. 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of Underlying Securities Derivative

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/l	(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivati Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	es d		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)
			Co	ode V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)	06/29/2007	A	(2)	8	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	8	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rometty Virginia M IBM CORPORATION 294 ROUTE 100 SOMERS, NY 10589

Senior Vice President

Signatures

M. SooHoo for V. M. Rometty by power-of-attorney

07/02/2007

**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) Phantom stock units convert to the cash value of the company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Acquisition of phantom stock units under the IBM Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (3) Distribution of phantom stock units under the IBM Executive Deferred Compensation Plan is deferred until separation from the company. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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