

SORENSEN ALLAN C  
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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 \*  
 SORENSEN ALLAN C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.  
 [RSG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/21/2009

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

413 WHISKEY ROAD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

AIKEN, SC 29801

(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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)
Common Stock	08/21/2009		M			15,000	\$ 9.5	15,000	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			400	\$ 26.055	14,600	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.05	14,500	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.045	14,400	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S			100	\$ 26.035	14,300	D	

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Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	700	D	\$ 26.025	13,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	12,000	D	\$ 26.015	1,600	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	400	D	\$ 26.01	1,200	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	400	D	\$ 26.0075	800	D
Common Stock	08/21/2009	S	800	D	\$ 26	0	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
					V	(A)	(D)			
Common Stock Option	\$ 9.5	08/21/2009		M		15,000	(1) 01/03/2010	Common Stock	15,000	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	08/13/2009		G	V	30,742	(2) (2)	Common Stock	30,742	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	08/13/2009		G	V	30,742	(2) (2)	Common Stock	30,742	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SORENSEN ALLAN C 413 WHISKEY ROAD	X			

AIKEN, SC 29801

## Signatures

/s/ Eileen B. Schuler  
Attorney-In-Fact

08/21/2009

\_\_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) Under this stock option grant, 15,000 options were exercisable and fully vested.
- (2) Previously reported restricted stock units were transferred by reporting person to the Allan C. Sorensen Revocable Trust U/A dated 02/05/2007 in which the reporting person serves as the Trustee.

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