KAVANAUGH JAMES J

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KAVANAUGH JAMES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP [IBM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2010

X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

below)

Director

IBM CORPORATION, ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

VP, Controller

Applicable Line)

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

ARMONK, NY 10504

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/01/2010		Code V M	Amount 955	(D)	Price \$ 104.71	5,150.1361	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2010		M	6,045	A	\$ 104.71	11,195.1361	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2010		S	2,514	D	\$ 143.85	8,681.1361	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2010		S	2,034	D	\$ 143.86	6,647.1361	D	
Common Stock	11/01/2010		S	862	D	\$ 143.87	5,785.1361	D	

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Common Stock	11/01/2010	S	662	D	\$ 5,123.1361	D
Common Stock	11/01/2010	S	862	D	\$ 143.89 4,261.1361	D
Common Stock	11/01/2010	S	66	D	\$ 143.9 4,195.1361	D

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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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number to for 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Emp. Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 104.71	11/01/2010		M	955	02/27/2005(1)	02/26/2011	Common Stock	955
Emp. Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 104.71	11/01/2010		M	6,045	02/27/2005(1)	02/26/2011	Common Stock	6,045

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KAVANAUGH JAMES J			VP, Controller				
IBM CORPORATION							
ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD							

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ARMONK, NY 10504

Signatures

D. Cummins on behalf of J. J. Kavanaugh

**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) This grant vested in four equal annual installments; the last installment vested on the date shown above.

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