

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SLIPSAGER HENRIK C</u>  _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) 551 FIFTH AVENUE SUITE 300  _____ (Street) NEW YORK NY 10176 CITY  _____ (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ ABM ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>President &amp; CEO</b>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2008	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/13/2008		M		30,000	A	\$18.297	130,724 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		200	D	\$20.42	130,524	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		500	D	\$20.38	130,024	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		100	D	\$20.4	129,924	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		300	D	\$20.35	129,624	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		100	D	\$20.37	129,524	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		3,800	D	\$20.28	125,724	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		100	D	\$20.32	125,624	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		3,500	D	\$20.29	122,124	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		8,700	D	\$20.3	113,424	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		2,700	D	\$20.31	110,724	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		100	D	\$20.705	110,624	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		400	D	\$20.75	110,224	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		200	D	\$20.77	110,024	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		600	D	\$20.74	109,424	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		399	D	\$20.73	109,025	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		600	D	\$20.71	108,425	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		1,000	D	\$20.74	107,425	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		1,701	D	\$20.7	105,724	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		200	D	\$20.8	105,524	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		200	D	\$20.77	105,324	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		400	D	\$20.84	104,924	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		600	D	\$20.81	104,324	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		100	D	\$20.7875	104,224	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		800	D	\$20.78	103,424	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		600	D	\$20.79	102,824	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		700	D	\$20.82	102,124	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		1,200	D	\$20.855	100,924	D	
Common Stock	03/13/2008		S		200	D	\$20.83	100,724 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

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			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/13/2008		M		1,893	A	\$18.297	102,617	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. 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	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
Stock Options	\$18.297	03/13/2008		M			30,000	(2)	03/17/2008	Common Stock	30,000	\$0	0	D	
Stock Options	\$18.297	03/13/2008		M			1,893	(3)	03/17/2008	Common Stock	1,893	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Includes 41,222 DERs
- Price-Vested Performance Stock Options that vested during the first four years at a rate tied to the price of ABM's common stock, 25% at each of \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, and \$20.00
- 20% exercisable on 3/17/1999 and 20% on the anniversary date of each of the following 4 years.

**Remarks:**

Henrik C. Slipsager                      03/17/2008

\*\* 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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