

Vander Ark Jon
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FORM 4

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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 *
Vander Ark Jon

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)
18500 N. ALLIED WAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/20/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP-Chief Operating Officer

PHOENIX, AZ 85054

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2018 | | M | 5,282 A \$ 33.4 (1) | 12,011 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2018 | | S | 5,282 D \$ 68.4103 (2) | 6,729 | D | |
| Common Stock | 03/21/2018 | | S | 3,954 D \$ 68.5 | 2,775 | 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) | 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price or Amount of Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Common Stock Option | \$ 33.4 | 03/20/2018 | | M | 5,282 | (1) (1) | Common Stock | 5,282 \$ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Vander Ark Jon 18500 N. ALLIED WAY PHOENIX, AZ 85054 | | | EVP-Chief Operating Officer | |

Signatures

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

03/21/2018

**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) On 03/20/2018, Mr. Vander Ark exercised 5,282 options and sold all such shares. Under the non-qualified stock option grant dated 02/07/2014, 5,282 options were exercisable and due to expire on 02/07/2021. There are no other outstanding options under this grant.

(2) On 03/20/2018, Mr. Vander Ark sold 5,282 shares of the Company's common stock as part of a cashless sale exercise at an average price of \$68.4103.

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