#### SLIPSAGER HENRIK C

Form 4

March 17, 2008

## FORM 4

#### 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SLIPSAGER HENRIK C			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ABM]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) 551 FIFTH AV	(First) VENUE, SU	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2008	_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) President & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW YORK CITY, NY 10176				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) order Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or or		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	03/13/2008		Code V M	Amount 30,000	(D)	Price \$ 18.297	130,724 (1)	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	

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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
	03/13/2008	S	600	D	\$ 20.79	102,824	D

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Common Stock							
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 (1)	D
Common Stock	03/13/2008	M	1,893	A	\$ 18.297	102,617	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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4,		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
Stock Options	\$ 18.297	03/13/2008		M	30,000	(2)	03/17/2008	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Options	\$ 18.297	03/13/2008		M	1,893	(3)	03/17/2008	Common Stock	1,893

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SLIPSAGER HENRIK C 551 FIFTH AVENUE SUITE 300 NEW YORK CITY, NY 10176	X		President & CEO			

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## **Signatures**

Henrik C. 03/17/2008 Slipsager

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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) Includes 41,222 DERs
- (2) 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
- (3) 20% exercisable on 3/17/1999 and 20% on the anniversary date of each of the following 4 years.

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