Andre Erin M Form 4 September 16, 2005

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Andre Erin M

[ABM]

160 PACIFIC AVE., SUITE 222

(First)

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Senior VP - Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

(Middle)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ſ			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 20.9	09/14/2005		A	11,400	(2)	09/14/2015	Common Stock	11,400
Stock Option	\$ 20.9	09/14/2005		A	14,000	<u>(4)</u>	09/14/2015	Common Stock	14,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Andre Erin M 160 PACIFIC AVE., SUITE 222 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

Senior VP - Human Resources

Signatures

s/ Erin M. Andre 09/16/2005

**Signature of 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) Stock option grant under 2002 Price-Vested Performance Stock Option Plan
- (2) Price-Vested Performance Stock Options which vest over the first four years at a rate tied to the price of ABM Common Stock, 50% at \$23.00 and 50% at \$26.00, and after eight years from the date of grant if not previously vested
- (3) Stock option grant under Time-Vested Incentive Stock Option Plan
- (4) 20% exercisable on 09/14/2006, and 20% on the anniversary date each of the following four years

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