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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Vander Ark	ddress of Repor	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC. [RSG]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			
18500 N. ALLIED WAY			02/07/2018	below) below) EVP-Chief Operating Officer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
PHOENIX,	AZ 85054		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	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 Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1 Title of	2 Transaction	Date 24 Dee	emed 3 4 Securities Acquired	5 Amount of 6 Ownership 7 Natur			

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			d of	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	02/07/2018		Code V M	Amount 1,437 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	1,437	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2018		F	470 (2)	D	\$ 64.6	967	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2018		M	3,313 (3)	A	\$0	4,280	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2018		F	975 (2)	D	\$ 64.6	3,305	D	

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	tive Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/07/2018	M	1,437	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,437	\$
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/07/2018	M	3,313	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,313	\$

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

Eileen B. Schuler Attorney-in-Fact 02/09/2018

**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).
- Represents Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") granted on 02/07/2014 that vest 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant and includes accrued dividend equivalents. At the time of vesting (02/07/2018), 50% of the RSUs settle to shares of Republic Services, Inc.'s common stock and 50% remain as RSUs in the Deferred Compensation Plan. On 02/07/2018, 1,437 RSUs were paid out in the form of common stock.

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- Represents shares of common stock to satisfy the tax liability of the Reporting Person upon the vesting of shares under a Restricted Stock (2) Unit award. The fair market value of the exchanged shares was \$64.60 (the closing price of Republic Services, Inc.'s common stock on 02/07/2018).
- Represents Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") granted on 02/07/2014 with a four year cliff vesting of the date of grant and includes accrued dividend equivalents. At the time of vesting (02/07/2018), 50% of the RSUs settle to shares of Republic Services, Inc.'s common stock and 50% remain RSUs in the Deferred Compensation Plan. On 02/07/2018, 3,313 RSUs were paid out in the form of common stock.
- (4) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to one share of common stock of Republic Services, Inc.

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