

Gherson Diane J  
Form 4  
June 12, 2018

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Gherson Diane J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS  
MACHINES CORP [IBM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
IBM CORPORATION, ONE NEW  
ORCHARD ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
06/08/2018

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
Senior Vice President

(Street)  
ARMONK, NY 10504

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  
\_\_\_ 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 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	06/08/2018		M		1,750	A	\$ 0	22,362.0802	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2018		F		849	D	\$ 145.405	21,513.0802	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2018		M		1,931	A	\$ 0	23,444.0802	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2018		F		937	D	\$ 145.405	22,507.0802	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)	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. De Se (In	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	06/08/2018		A <u>(1)</u>		8,313		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	8,313
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>	06/08/2018		M <u>(3)</u>		1,931		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	1,931
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <u>(2)</u>	06/08/2018		M <u>(3)</u>		1,750		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	1,750

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gherson Diane J IBM CORPORATION ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD ARMONK, NY 10504			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

A. Gomes da Silva on behalf of D. J.  
Gherson 06/12/2018

                    \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

                    Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Upon lapse of the restrictions, these units are payable in cash or the company's common stock. The restrictions lapse for 2,078 of these units on 06/08/2019, 2,078 of these units on 06/08/2020, 2,078 of these units on 06/08/2021, and 2,079 of these units on 06/08/2022.

- (2) These units were payable in cash or the company's common stock upon the lapse of the restrictions on the transaction date shown.
- (3) Release of restricted stock units.

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