

SERVICEMASTER CO  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
HARRIS SIDNEY E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SERVICEMASTER CO [SVM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3250 LACEY ROAD, SUITE 600  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/14/2006

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
02/16/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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DOWNERS  
GROVE, IL 60515-1700

(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)
Common stock \$.01 par value	02/14/2006		A	5,221 A	\$ 0 18,626 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common stock \$.01 par value					14,559 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Dir.Def.Fee Trust

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title      Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 8.4788					09/30/2000      09/29/2010	Common Stock      8,354
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9.21					12/31/2002      12/31/2012	Common Stock      4,244
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9.7325					12/31/1999      12/30/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value      1,019
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 9.7856					03/31/2000      03/30/2010	Common stock \$.01 par value      5,646
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 10.02					04/27/2002      04/26/2008	Common Stock      15,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 10.2319					06/30/2000      06/29/2010	Common stock \$.01 par value      10,938
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 11.2222					02/13/1998      02/12/2007	Common stock \$.01 par value      11,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.2069					09/30/1999      09/29/2009	Common stock \$.01 par      7,187

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buy)				value	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.5231	06/30/1999	06/29/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	3,924
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.7392	03/31/1998	03/30/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	3,780
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.1913	03/31/1999	03/30/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	4,203
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.0413	09/30/1998	09/29/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	3,298
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.6788	12/31/1998	12/30/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	2,276
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.3588	06/30/1998	06/29/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	2,781
2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.4	04/01/2003	03/31/2013	Common Stock	13,344
2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.63	09/30/2003	09/29/2013	Common Stock	2,467
2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.02	06/30/2003	06/29/2013	Common Stock	6,447
2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.96	05/21/2004	05/20/2013	Common Stock	7,500
2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.46	07/01/2002	06/30/2012	Common Stock	3,899

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2001 Dir. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.6	04/01/2002	03/31/2012	Common Stock	6,288
Non-Qual. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.972	04/15/2003	04/14/2012	Common Stock	15,000
Non-Employee Dir.Dis. Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1	09/30/2002	09/29/2012	Common Stock	5,823

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HARRIS SIDNEY E 3250 LACEY ROAD, SUITE 600 DOWNERS GROVE, IL 60515-1700			X	

## Signatures

Sandra L. Groman by powr of attorney 03/13/2006

\_\_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) Director elected to have Restricted Stock rather than stock options issued as part of the annual retainer fee. 25,060 stock options have been reversed and 5,221 shares of restricted stock have been issued in their place.
- (2) Directors Deferred Fee Trust includes 136 shares acquired through the dividend reinvestment feature of the plan for the period of January through December 2005.
- (3) The option is exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant.

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