HELMS LUKE S Form 4

January 27, 2012

FORM 4

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

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HELMS LUKE S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

[ABM]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2009

551 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 300 (Street)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

OMB

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10176

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativo	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed 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	05/05/2009		Code V	Amount 287	(D)	Price \$ 20.01	76,975	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2009		P	230	A	\$ 20.01	77,205	D	
Common Stock	11/03/2009		P	269	A	\$ 20.01	77,474	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2010		P	267	A	\$ 19.58	77,741	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2010		P	244	A	\$ 21.547	77,985	D	

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Common Stock	08/03/2010	P	246	A	\$ 21.52	78,231	D
Common Stock	11/02/2010	P	235	A	\$ 22.717	78,468	D
Common Stock	02/08/2011	P	208	A	\$ 26.66	78,676	D
Common Stock	05/03/2011	P	233	A	\$ 23.9864	78,909	D
Common Stock	08/02/2011	P	251	A	\$ 22.4081	79,160	D
Common Stock	11/08/2011	P	279	A	\$ 20.267 (1)	79,440 (2)	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)

Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber Expiration Date Amount of Derivative Code of (Month/Day/Year) Underlying Security (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Derivative Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)] S] (
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Date Expiration Title Number	
Exercisable Date of	
Code V (A) (D) Shares	

Reporting Owners

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

By: Barbara L. Smithers, by power of attorney

01/27/2012

**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).
- All the transactions reported on this Form 4 represent the reinvestment by Mr. Helms' broker of dividends paid on ABM shares owned by (1) Mr. Helms in additional shares of ABM stock, which transactions were not reported by the broker to the issuer. Mr. Helms has paid ABM the short-swing profits resulting from these transactions and has instructed his broker to cease reinvesting these dividends.
 - For each of the transactions reported on this Form 4 (including the older transactions), this column reflects his other holdings as of
- (2) December 31, 2011, which includes 7,733 unvested RSUs and 3,429 vested RSUs, the receipt of which has been deferred, and DERs relating to the unvested and vested RSUs, adjusted to reflect the cumulative effect of fractional shares.

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