

SERVICEMASTER CO  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
MROZEK ERNEST J

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

DOWNERS  
GROVE, IL 60515-1700

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/28/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
PRESIDENT & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005		M	84,375	A \$ 9.2593	564,549	D
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005		S	2,600	D \$ 13.56	561,949	D
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005		S	9,200	D \$ 13.57	552,749	D
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005		S	3,300	D \$ 13.58	549,449	D

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stock \$.01 par value									
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	5,700	D	\$ 13.59	543,749	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	8,700	D	\$ 13.6	535,049	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	10,800	D	\$ 13.61	524,249	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	10,600	D	\$ 13.62	513,649	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	900	D	\$ 13.63	512,749	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	400	D	\$ 13.64	512,349	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	5,800	D	\$ 13.65	506,549	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 13.66	505,249	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	1,900	D	\$ 13.67	503,349	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	1,800	D	\$ 13.68	501,549	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value	09/28/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 13.69	499,549	D		
Common stock \$.01 par value						4,760 <sup>(1)</sup>	I		by 401(k) plan
Common stock \$.01 par value						3,242 <sup>(2)</sup>	I		Deferred Comp

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.83					02/08/2003 02/07/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.972					05/03/2003 05/02/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value
1997 Option Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.2222					02/13/1998 02/12/2007	Common stock \$.01 par value
1998 Non-Qual. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.075					01/29/2000 01/28/2009	Common Stock
Senior Ex. Ownership Elec. Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.5					12/31/2000 12/31/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value
1998 Empl. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.2583					02/16/1999 02/15/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value
2000 Empl. Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.75					08/08/2001 08/07/2007	Common stock \$.01 par value
	\$ 9.88					03/18/2004 03/17/2013	

