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 * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CROMIE SCOTT J Issuer Symbol SERVICEMASTER CO [SVM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title 3250 LACEY ROAD, SUITE 600 07/24/2007 below) **GROUP PRESIDENT** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

DOWNERS GROVE, IL 60515-1700 _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (A) or	, ,	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	07/24/2007		Code V D	Amount 52,638	(D)	Price \$ 15.625	0 (1)	D	
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007		D	4,430	D	\$ 15.625	0 (1)	I	401(k) plan
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007		D	9,280	D	\$ 15.625	0 (1)	I	by spouse
Common	07/24/2007		D	1,120	D	\$	0 (1)	I	Deferred

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stock \$.01 par value					15.625			Comp
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007	D	880	D	\$ 15.625	0 (1)	I	Cust. for children
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007	D	160	D	\$ 15.625	0 (1)	I	Cust. for nephew

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 3) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
1998 Emplee. Stock Option(Right to Buy)	\$ 11.5	07/24/2007		D		36,522	12/10/2000	12/31/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	36,5
1998 Emplee. Stock Option(Right to Buy)	\$ 18.075	07/24/2007		D		25,000	01/29/2000	01/28/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	25,0
1998 Emplee. Stock Option(Right to Buy)	\$ 18.075	07/24/2007		D		21,000	01/29/2000	01/15/2014	Common stock \$.01 par value	21,0
1998 Emplee. Stock Option(Right to Buy)	\$ 18.2583	07/24/2007		D		27,000	02/16/1999	02/15/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	27,0
2000 Employee	\$ 8.75	07/24/2007		D		40,000	08/08/2001	08/07/2007	Common stock	40,0

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Stock Option (Right to Buy)							\$.01 par value	
2000 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.88	07/24/2007	D	30,000	03/18/2004	03/17/2013	Common stock \$.01 par value	30,0
2000 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.3	07/24/2007	D	45,000	12/18/2003	12/17/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	45,0
2000 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.52	07/24/2007	D	50,000	03/16/2002	03/15/2008	Common stock \$.01 par value	50,0
2000 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.83	07/24/2007	D	35,000	02/08/2003	02/07/2009	Common stock \$.01 par value	35,0
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 10.73	07/24/2007	D	25,000	02/13/2005	02/12/2014	Common Stock	25,0
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 12.45	07/24/2007	D	40,000	02/14/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	40,0
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 12.575	07/24/2007	D	5,000	03/10/2007	03/09/2016	Common Stock	5,0
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 13.44	07/24/2007	D	32,500	02/11/2006	02/10/2015	Common Stock	32,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
			CDOLID DDESIDENT				

GROUP PRESIDENT

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CROMIE SCOTT J 3250 LACEY ROAD, SUITE 600 DOWNERS GROVE, IL 60515-1700

Signatures

Cristen Kogl by power of attorney

07/26/2007

**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) Pursuant to the acquisition of The ServiceMaster Company by ServiceMaster Global Holdings Inc. effective July 24, 2007, the stockholder received \$15.625 in cash for each outstanding share of common stock.
 - Pursuant to the acquisition of The ServiceMaster Company by ServiceMaster Global Holdings Inc. effective July 24, 2007, each stock option and Stock Appreciation Right (SAR), regardless of whether it was exercisable upon completion of the merger, was cancelled by
- (2) ServiceMaster and the holder of the stock option received a cash payment equal to the positive "spread" (if any) between the \$15.625 per share merger price and the exercise price of the stock option or SAR, times the number of shares subject to the stock option or SAR. This amount (if any) will be subject to all applicable federal, state and local taxes required to be withheld.

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