#### MCCLURE JAMES P

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Form 4

September 16, 2005

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MCCLURE JAMES P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

**Executive Vice President** 

[ABM]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

X\_ Officer (give title

Director

Other (specify below) below)

160 PACIFIC AVE STE. 222

09/14/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Securities Code

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. l Underlying Securities De (Instr. 3 and 4) Sec

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or Disposed (D)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,				
			Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 20.9	09/14/2005	A	5,640	(2)	09/14/2015	Common Stock	5,640	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MCCLURE JAMES P			Executive			
160 PACIFIC AVE STE. 222			Vice			
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111			President			

## **Signatures**

s/ James P.

McClure

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O9/16/2005

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) Stock option grant under Time-Vested Incentive Stock Option Plan
- (2) 20% exercisable on 09/14/2006, and 20% on the anniversary date each of the following four years

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