

HERRINGER MARYELLEN C  
 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 \*  
 HERRINGER MARYELLEN C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ABM INDUSTRIES INC /DE/  
 [ABM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 551 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 300  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/20/2012

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

NEW YORK, NY 10176

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/20/2012		M			10,000	A	\$ 14.87	114,226	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2012		S			1,100	D	\$ 18.7	113,126	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2012		S			600	D	\$ 18.7001	112,526	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2012		S			100	D	\$ 18.7011	112,426	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2012		S			100	D	\$ 18.7015	112,326	D	

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Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	200	D	\$ 18.702	112,126	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7024	112,026	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7025	111,926	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.705	111,826	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	1,000	D	\$ 18.71	110,826	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7101	110,726	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7122	110,626	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7125	110,526	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.715	110,426	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	800	D	\$ 18.72	109,626	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7201	109,526	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	100	D	\$ 18.7225	109,426	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	800	D	\$ 18.73	108,626	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	200	D	\$ 18.7301	108,426	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	200	D	\$ 18.7325	108,226	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	500	D	\$ 18.76	107,726	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	400	D	\$ 18.7601	107,326	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	200	D	\$ 18.7619	107,126	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	378	D	\$ 18.77	106,748	D
Common Stock	09/20/2012	S	300	D	\$ 18.79	106,448	D
	09/20/2012	S	100	D		106,348	D

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Common Stock \$ 18.8001  
 Common Stock 09/20/2012 S 100 D \$ 18.8019 106,248 <sup>(1)</sup> 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)

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 14.87	09/20/2012		M	10,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 11/01/2012	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HERRINGER MARYELLEN C 551 FIFTH AVENUE SUITE 300 NEW YORK, NY 10176	X			

## Signatures

By: Barbara L. Smithers, by power of attorney 09/21/2012  
 \*\*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).
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Includes 7,174 unvested RSUs, 11,766 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.

(2) Non-employee director stock options.

(3) 20% on 11/1/2003, and 20% on the anniversary date each of the following four years.

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