

SERVICEMASTER CO

Form 4

July 26, 2007

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KAPUT JIM L**

(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)  
**07/24/2007**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr. VP & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007		D		46,856	D \$ 15.625	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007		D		9,770	D \$ 15.625	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I through 401(k) plan
Common stock \$.01 par value	07/24/2007		D		400	D \$ 15.625	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I Cust. for children
Common	07/24/2007		D		5,600	D \$	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	I Deferred

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stock \$.01  
par value

15.625

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.83	07/24/2007		D	85,000	02/08/2003	02/07/2009	Common Stock	85,000
2000 Empl Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.88	07/24/2007		D	26,667	03/18/2004	03/17/2013	Common Stock	26,667
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 10.73	07/24/2007		D	30,000	02/13/2005	02/12/2014	Common Stock	30,000
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 12.45	07/24/2007		D	55,000	02/14/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	55,000
2003 EIP Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 13.44	07/24/2007		D	50,000	02/11/2006	02/10/2015	Common Stock	50,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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KAPUT JIM L  
3250 LACEY ROAD, SUITE 600  
DOWNERS GROVE, IL 60515-1700

Sr. VP &  
General  
Counsel

## 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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