

REPUBLIC SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

April 20, 2006

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549  
FORM 8-K  
CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) **April 20, 2006**

**Republic Services, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)  
**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-14267**

(Commission File Number)

**65-0716904**

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**110 SE 6th Street, 28th Floor, Fort Lauderdale,  
Florida**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**33301**

(Zip Code)

**(954) 769-2400**

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13d-4(c))

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

The Company's Proxy Statement dated March 31, 2006 stated that each incumbent director attended at least 80% of the total number of meetings of the board of directors and the total number of meetings held by all committees of the board on which they served, other than Mr. Hudson who, due to personal circumstances participated in 63% of the scheduled meetings of the board of directors.

The Company clarifies that Mr. Hudson in fact attended six of eight, or 75%, of the board of directors meetings in 2005. He attended five of those meetings in full. He attended over half of a sixth meeting, but missed the initial portion of that meeting, due to a family medical emergency and personal circumstances not within his control.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

April 20, 2006

REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Tod C. Holmes  
Tod C. Holmes  
Senior Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer  
(Principal Financial Officer)

By: /s/ Charles F. Serianni  
  
Charles F. Serianni Vice President and  
Chief Accounting Officer  
(Principal Accounting Officer)