

REPUBLIC SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

February 22, 2005

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 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) February 15, 2005

**Republic Services, Inc.**

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**

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(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-14267**

**65-0716904**

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**110 SE 6<sup>th</sup> Street, 28<sup>th</sup> Floor, Fort Lauderdale,  
Florida**

**33301**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

**(954) 769-2400**

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(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K 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)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



**ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.**

On February 15, 2005, the Company issued a press release, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.**

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release issued by the Company on February 15, 2005

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirement 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.

February 22, 2005

REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Edward Lang  
Edward Lang  
Vice President, Finance  
and Treasurer

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

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