INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP Form SC 13G/A February 14, 2013

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

# **SCHEDULE 13G**

(Rule 13d-102)

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT

TO § 240.13d-1(b), (c) AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED

**PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2** 

(Amendment No. 1)\*

# **International Business Machines Corporation**

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK

(Title of Class of Securities)

459200101

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2012

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

	Check the appropriate box to	designate the rule pursuant to	o which this Schedule is filed:
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x Rule 13d-1 (b)

" Rule 13d-1 (c)

" Rule 13d-1 (d)

<sup>\*</sup> The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes.)

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- 1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
  - Warren E. Buffett
- 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*
  - (a) x (b) "
- 3 SEC USE ONLY
- 4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States Citizen

5 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF

5,000

SHARES 6 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

OWNED BY

68,115,484

FACH 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING

**PERSON** 5,000

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

WITH

68,115,484

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

68,120,484

10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

Not Applicable.
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

6.03%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

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13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 3 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Berkshire Hathaway Inc. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Delaware 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 68,115,484 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 68,115,484 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 68,115,484 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

6.03%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

HC, CO

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 4 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **National Indemnity Company** CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 65,962,616 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 65,962,616 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 65,962,616 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

Not applicable.
PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

5.84%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 5 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 506,000 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 506,000 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 506,000 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 6 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Columbia Insurance Company CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 597,588 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 597,588 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 597.588 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 7 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 84,480 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 84,480 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 84,480 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

HC, CO

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 8 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 79,200 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 79,200 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 79,200 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 9 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **CSI Life Insurance Company** CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 5,280 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 5,280 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 5.280 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 10 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Finial Reinsurance Company CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Connecticut 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 353,000 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 353,000 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 353,000 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

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CUSIP No. 459200101

Page 11 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 National Indemnity Company of the South CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Florida 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 103,000 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 103,000 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 103,000 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 12 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **Boat America Corporation** 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Virginia 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 34,000 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 34,000 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 34,000 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

HC, CO

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 13 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 Seaworthy Insurance Company 2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Maryland 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 34,000 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 34,000 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 34,000 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 14 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **GEICO** Advantage Insurance Company CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 58,700 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 58,700 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 58,700 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 15 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **GEICO Casualty Company** CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Maryland 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 298,300 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 298,300 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 298,300

CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

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# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 16 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **GEICO Choice Insurance Company** CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 58,900 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 58,900 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 58,900 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### 12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*

13G CUSIP No. 459200101 Page 17 of 20 Pages NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS 1 **GEICO Secure Insurance Company** CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2 **(b)** " (a) x 3 SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4 State of Nebraska 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF **NONE SHARES** 6 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 58,900 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **NONE PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH 58,900 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 58,900 10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\*

# Not applicable. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11

Less than 0.1%

### TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* 12

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## **SCHEDULE 13G**

### Item 1.

## (a) Name of Issuer:

International Business Machines Corporation

## (b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices:

1 New Orchard Road, Armonk, NY 10504

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

## Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office:

## Item 2(c). Citizenship:

Warren E. Buffett 3555 Farnam Street	Columbia Insurance Company 3024 Harney Street	Finial Reinsurance Company 100 Stamford Plaza Stamford, Connecticut 06962	GEICO Advantage Insurance Company
Omaha, Nebraska 68131	Omaha, Nebraska 68131 Nebraska corporation	Connecticut corporation	5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
United States Citizen			Nebraska corporation
Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.	National Indemnity Company of the South	GEICO Casualty Company. 5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
3555 Farnam Street Omaha, Nebraska 68131	1212 North 96th Street Omaha, Nebraska 68114	3024 Harney Street	Maryland corporation
Delaware corporation	Nebraska corporation	Omaha, Nebraska 68131	, i
		Florida corporation	
National Indemnity Company 3024 Harney Street	Central States Indemnity Company 1212 North 96th Street Omaha, Nebraska 68114	Boat America Corporation 880 South Pickett Street	GEICO Choice Insurance Company
Omaha, Nebraska 68131 Nebraska corporation	Nebraska corporation	Alexandria, Virginia 22304	5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
		Virginia corporation	Nebraska corporation
Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation	CSI Life Insurance Company 1212 North 96th Street Omaha, Nebraska 68114	Seaworthy Insurance Company 880 South Pickett Street	GEICO Secure Insurance Company
3024 Harney Street		Alexandria, Virginia 22304	

Omaha, Nebraska 68131 Nebraska corporation Maryland corporation 5260 Western Avenue

Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815 Nebraska corporation

Nebraska corporation

### (d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

## (e) CUSIP Number:

459200101

## Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

Warren E. Buffett (an individual who may be deemed to control Berkshire Hathaway Inc.), Berkshire Hathaway Inc., Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc. and Boat America Corporation are each a Parent Holding Company or Control Person, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).

National Indemnity Company, Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation, Columbia Insurance Company, Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha, CSI Life Insurance Company, Finial Reinsurance Company, National Indemnity Company of the South, Seaworthy Insurance Company, GEICO Advantage Insurance Company, GEICO Casualty Company, GEICO Choice Insurance Company and GEICO Secure Insurance Company are each an Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act.

The Reporting Persons together are a Group in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

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Item	4.	( )wn	ership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

## (a) Amount beneficially owned:

See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

### (b) Percent of class:

See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
  - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote
  - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote
  - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

## Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

See Exhibit A.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

See Exhibit A.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable.

## Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under §240.14a-11.

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## **SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 14, 2013 Date

/s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

Warren E. Buffett Name Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

By: /s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

Warren E. Buffett, Chairman of the Board Name/Title

> February 14, 2013 Date

Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation
Columbia Insurance Company
Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha
CSI Life Insurance Company
Finial Reinsurance Company
National Indemnity Company
National Indemnity Company of the South
Seaworthy Insurance Company
GEICO Advantage Insurance Company
GEICO Casualty Company
GEICO Choice Insurance Company
GEICO Secure Insurance Company
Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.
Boat America Corporation

By: /s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

> Warren E. Buffett Attorney-in-Fact

> > Name/Title

February 14, 2013 Date

### **SCHEDULE 13G**

## **EXHIBIT A**

## RELEVANT SUBSIDIARIES AND MEMBERS OF FILING GROUP

PARENT HOLDING COMPANIES OR CONTROL PERSONS:

Warren E. Buffett (an individual who may be deemed to control Berkshire Hathaway Inc.)

Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.

**Boat America Corporation** 

INSURANCE COMPANIES AS DEFINED IN SECTION 3(a)(19) OF THE ACT:

National Indemnity Company, Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation, Columbia Insurance Company, Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha, CSI Life Insurance Company, Finial Reinsurance Company, National Indemnity Company of the South, Seaworthy Insurance Company, GEICO Advantage Insurance Company, GEICO Casualty Company, GEICO Choice Insurance Company and GEICO Secure Insurance Company

### SCHEDULE 13G

### **EXHIBIT B**

### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(k)(1)

### AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned persons agree and consent to the joint filing on their behalf of Schedule 13G and all amendments thereto in connection with their beneficial ownership of the Common Stock of International Business Machines Corporation.

Each person other than Warren E. Buffett whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints Warren E. Buffett as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent with full power of substitution and resubstitution, to act for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign a Schedule 13G and any or all amendments to Schedule 13G in connection with the beneficial ownership of the Common Stock of International Business Machines Corporation, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent or his substitute may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Warren E. Buffett

Warren E. Buffett

Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Warren E. Buffett

By: Warren E. Buffett Title: Chairman of the Board

National Indemnity Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Dated: February 14, 2013

Dated: February 14, 2013

Title: Treasurer

Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation

/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

Columbia Insurance Company

/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Thomas B. Schlichting

By: Thomas B. Schlichting

Title: CFO

CSI Life Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013

/S/ Thomas B. Schlichting By: Thomas B. Schlichting

Title: CFO

Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Thomas B. Schlichting

By: Thomas B. Schlichting

Title: CFO

Finial Reinsurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper

By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

National Indemnity Company of the South

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper

By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

**Boat America Corporation** 

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ William M. Oakerson

By: William M. Oakerson

Title: Chairman

Seaworthy Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ William M. Oakerson

By: William M. Oakerson

Title: Chairman

GEICO Advantage Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Charles G. Schara

By: Charles G. Schara

Title: Treasurer

GEICO Casualty Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Charles G. Schara

By: Charles G. Schara

Title: Treasurer

GEICO Choice Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Charles G. Schara

By: Charles G. Schara Title: Treasurer

GEICO Secure Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2013 /S/ Charles G. Schara

By: Charles G. Schara

Title: Treasurer