

BUTLER GEFREY D H  
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**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 \*  
**BUTLER GEFREY D H**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HARSCO CORP [HSC]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/26/2009**

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

**P.O. BOX 8888**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**CAMP HILL, PA 17001-8888**

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 or Price		
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/26/2009		M		\$ 10,000 A 26.23	27,338	D
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/26/2009		F		\$ 4,100 D 26.23	23,238	D
Restricted Stock Units						10,666.67 <sup>(1)</sup>	D

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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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 14.5 <sup>(2)</sup>					<sup>(2)</sup> 01/23/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 12.815 <sup>(2)</sup>					<sup>(2)</sup> 01/21/2011 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 16.325 <sup>(2)</sup>					<sup>(2)</sup> 01/20/2012 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value
Restricted Stock Units-EICP <sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	01/26/2009		M	10,000	01/24/2009 <sup>(3)</sup> 01/24/2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value
Restricted Stock Units - EICP <sup>(1)</sup>	<sup>(1)</sup>					<sup>(1)</sup> 01/23/2010 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value
Restricted Stock Units-EICP <sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	01/27/2009		A	8,000	01/27/2010 <sup>(4)</sup> 01/27/2012 <sup>(4)</sup>	Restricted Stock Units

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

