

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP
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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 *
 CHENAULT KENNETH I

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP [IBM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/30/2009

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

AMERICAN EXPRESS
 COMPANY, WORLD FINANCIAL
 CENTER, 200 VESEY ST.

(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

NEW YORK, NY 10285

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	04/30/2009		M	A	\$ 4,000	5,000	D
Common Stock	04/30/2009		S	D	\$ 105.37	4,900	D
Common Stock	04/30/2009		S	D	\$ 105.38	3,800	D
Common Stock	04/30/2009		S	D	\$ 105.39	2,960	D
	04/30/2009		S	D	\$ 105.4	2,860	D

Common
Stock

Common Stock	04/30/2009	S	300	D	\$ 105.41	2,560	D
Common Stock	04/30/2009	S	800	D	\$ 105.42	1,760	D
Common Stock	04/30/2009	S	700	D	\$ 105.44	1,060	D

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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
BOD Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 103.61	04/30/2009		M	4,000	05/01/2003 ⁽¹⁾ 04/30/2009	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHENAULT KENNETH I
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY
WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER, 200 VESEY ST.
NEW YORK, NY 10285

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Signatures

M. F. SooHoo for K. I. Chenault by
power-of-attorney

05/01/2009

__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) This grant vested in four equal annual installments; the last installment vested on the date shown above.

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