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August 01, 2007								OMB A	PPROVAL		
FORM 4	UNITED	STATES					E COMMISSION		3235-028	7	
Check this bo if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or		Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP (SECURITIES							January 31,Expires:2005Estimated averageburden hours perresponse0.5		
Form 5 obligations may continue <i>See</i> Instructio 1(b).	(a) of the l	Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section) of the Investment Company Act of 1940									
(Print or Type Resp	onses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Rometty Virginia M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP [IBM]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) IBM CORPORATION, 294 ROUTE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2007				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Senior Vice President				
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	(Street)			endment, Da onth/Day/Year	-	ıl	6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by	One Reporting P	erson		
SOMERS, NY	10589						Person	More than One R	leporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
	ransaction Date nth/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Reminder: Report o	n a separate line	e for each cl	ass of sec	urities benef	icially ow	ned directly	or indirectly.				
					inforn requi	nation cont red to resp ays a curre	spond to the colle tained in this form ond unless the for ntly valid OMB co	n are not rm	SEC 1474 (9-02)		
	Tab					posed of, or convertible	Beneficially Owned securities)	1			
1. Title of 2. Derivative Conve		saction Date Day/Year)			4. Transact	5. ionNumber	6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date		and Amount of ing Securities		

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		ny Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	'Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	07/31/2007		A <u>(2)</u>	7	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	7	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Rometty Virginia M IBM CORPORATION 294 ROUTE 100 SOMERS, NY 10589			Senior Vice President				
Signatures							
D. Cummins for V. M. Romett power-of-attorney	y by		08/01/2007				
**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) Phantom stock units convert to the cash value of the company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Acquisition of phantom stock units under the IBM Executive Deferred Compensation Plan.

(3) Distribution of phantom stock units under the IBM Executive Deferred Compensation Plan is deferred until separation from the company.

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