

KELLY JOHN E III  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**KELLY JOHN E III**

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)

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

**IBM CORPORATION, P.O. BOX 218**

**05/08/2009**

Senior Vice President

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

**YORKTOWN HEIGHTS, NY 10598**

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	05/08/2009		M	2,523	A	\$ 0	56,680.8189 D
Common Stock	05/08/2009		M	2,842	A	\$ 0	59,522.8189 D
Common Stock	05/08/2009		M	3,125	A	\$ 0	62,647.8189 D
Common Stock	05/08/2009		F	1,198	D	\$ 101.79	61,449.8189 D
Common Stock	05/08/2009		F	1,350	D	\$ 101.79	60,099.8189 D

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Common Stock 05/08/2009 F 1,484 D \$ 101.79 58,615.8189 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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/08/2009		M <sup>(2)</sup>	3,125	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	3,125
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/08/2009		M <sup>(2)</sup>	2,842	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	2,842
Rst. Stock Unit	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	05/08/2009		M <sup>(2)</sup>	2,523	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	2,523

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KELLY JOHN E III IBM CORPORATION P.O. BOX 218 YORKTOWN HEIGHTS, NY 10598			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

D. Cummins for J. E. Kelly III by power-of-attorney 05/11/2009

\*\*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) These units were payable in cash or the company's common stock upon the lapse of the restrictions on the transaction date shown.
  - (2) Release of restricted stock units.

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