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# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARSCO CORP [HSC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
FAZZOLARI SALVATORE D		<u>D</u>	[]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Mi		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
P.O. BOX 8888		. ,	01/22/2009		Chief Executive Officer				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	ridual or Joint/Group Filir	g (Check Applicable			
CAMP HILL	PA	17001-8888		X	Form filed by One Rep	porting Person			
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## 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)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/22/2009		М		6,666.67	A	\$26.155	30,244.6168	D	
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/22/2009		F		2,759.67	D	\$26.155	27,484.9468	D	
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value								17,506.0871(1)	I	Savings Plan
Restricted Stock Units	01/22/2009		М		6,666.67	D	\$26.115	13,333.33	D	

#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Date Amount of		Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Security		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$14.5 <sup>(2)</sup>							(2)	01/23/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	(2)		40,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$16.325 <sup>(2)</sup>							(2)	01/20/2012 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	(2)		48,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units- EICP <sup>(3)</sup>	(3)							(3)	01/24/2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	(3)		10,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units - EICP <sup>(4)</sup>	(4)							(4)	01/23/2010 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	(4)		10,666.67	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares were acquired under the Harsco Corporation Savings Plan in transactions that were exempt from Section 16-b by virtue of rule 16a-8(b). The information presented is as of December 31, 2008.

2. Stock option granted pursuant to Harsco Corporation 1995 Executive Incentive Compensation Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

Represents restricted stock units granted under the 1995 Executive Incentive Compensation Plan. Each restricted stock unit has a three year vesting period. No dividends are paid on the units until they vest.
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### **Remarks:**

## Salvatore D. Fazzolari

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/26/2009 Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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