Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Bhasin Puneet					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WASTE MANAGEMENT INC [WM]								heck a	ll applic Directo			10% Ov	wner		
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(Street) HOUST(77002 (Zip)		4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne) X	Form fi	r Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable n filed by One Reporting Person n filed by More than One Reporting on				
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Stock Option (Right to	\$36.885	03/08/2013			A		23,565		03/08/2014	03	3/08/2023	Common Stock	23,56	\$0.	.0000	23,56	5	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock option granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option vests 25% on the first and second anniversary of the date of grant with the remaining 50% on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

Linda J. Smith, Attorney-in-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/12/2013

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

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