

PALMISANO SAMUEL J
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 PALMISANO SAMUEL J

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)
 IBM CORPORATION, ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/08/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman, Pres., and CEO

ARMONK, NY 10504

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

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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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
Common Stock	05/08/2010		M		10,527	A	\$ 0	125,656.1745	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2010		F		4,781	D	\$ 122.185	120,875.1745	D	
Common Stock								514	I ⁽¹⁾	daughter
Common Stock								734	I ⁽¹⁾	son 1
Common Stock								514	I ⁽¹⁾	son 2

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(3) Release of restricted stock units.

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