CLARK FRANK M

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **CLARK FRANK M** Issuer Symbol WASTE MANAGEMENT INC (Check all applicable) [WMI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1001 FANNIN, SUITE 4000 12/22/2008 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting HOUSTON, TX 77002 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Secu	rities	Acquired, D	isposed of, or Be	neficially Ow	ned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Accordisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5	•	(A) or	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)
Common Stock	12/22/2008		M	14,446.1706	A	\$ 0	17,866.1706	D	
Common Stock (1)	12/23/2008		S	5,489	D	\$ 31.4985 (2)	12,377.1706	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2008		D	0.1706	D	\$ 30.83	12,377	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amou	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative Securities			Expiration Date		Underlying Securi	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Code Acquired (A) or ((Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	. 8) Disposed of (D)					
	Derivative				(Inst	Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
	Security									
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Sha
Stock Units	\$ 0	12/22/2008		M		14,446.1706	08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock	14,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FG	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CLARK FRANK M 1001 FANNIN SUITE 4000 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X						

Signatures

John S. Tsai,

attorney-in-fact 12/23/2008

**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) Sale of shares to pay taxes on payout of deferred stock units pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Stock Selling Plan.
- (2) The actual range of prices for this transaction is \$31.38 to \$31.66. Full information regarding number of shares sold and price will be provided upon request.

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