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Form 4  
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		UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549			
Form 4		STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP		OMB APPROVAL  <u>OMB</u> <u>Number:K235-0287</u>  <u>Expires: December 31,</u> <u>2001</u>  Estimated average burden hours per response . . .H.5	
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(Print or Type Responses)					
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Waste Connections, Inc. / WCNX		6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  ___ Director _____ 10% Owner  ___X___ Officer (give _____ Other (specify title below) below)  Vice President Information Systems	
Hansen, Eric  (Last) (First) (Middle)		3. IRS Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)			
620 Coolidge Drive, Suite 350				5. If Amendment,	
				7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check	

(Street)				Date of Original (Month/Year)		Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person ___Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Folsom, CA 95630  (City) (State) (Zip)		Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Trans- action Date  (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- Action Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 AND 5)			Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month  (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount				
Common Stock	6/10/02	M		1,000	A	\$3.50	0		
Common Stock	6/10/02	S		1,000	D	\$33.13	0		

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst. 4)

							Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
			Code	V	(A)	(D)				
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$3.50	6/10/02	M			1,000	See Note 1	1/4/ 2011	Common Stock	1,000

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option for 4,000 shares, 1/4 exercisable on 1/4/02, 1/4/03, 1/4/04 and 1/4/05.

Eric Hansen      7/10/02

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person      Date

**Eric Hansen**

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See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff

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