KAVANAUGH JAMES J

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KAVANAUGH JAMES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP [IBM]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Middle)

07/31/2017

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President

IBM CORPORATION, ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 4)

Issuer

ARMONK, NY 10504

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported

Owned

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price 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 Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber

5.

number.

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of Underlying Securities Derivative

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Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	s I				(Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)	07/31/2017		A(2)	6	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	6	\$ 144.67

Other

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		

KAVANAUGH JAMES J
IBM CORPORATION
ONE NEW ORCHARD ROAD
ARMONK, NY 10504

Senior
Vice
President

Signatures

A. Gomes da Silva on behalf of J. J.

Kavanaugh

08/01/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Phantom stock units convert to the cash value of the company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Acquisition of phantom stock units under the IBM Excess 401(k) Plus Plan.
- (3) Distribution of phantom stock units under the IBM Excess 401(k) Plus Plan is deferred until separation from the company. The reporting person may transfer these phantom stock units into an alternative investment account under such plan.

Date

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