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### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>\*</u> Gerson Scott H

ng Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

HARSCO CORP [HSC]

(Last) (First)

350 POPLAR CHURCH ROAD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2011

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner
\_X\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### CAMP HILL, PA 17011

| (City)                                      | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-I                           | Derivative                         | Secur   | ities Acqui         | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficial  | ly Owned  |
|---|---|---|--|------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)        | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4 | ed of ( | ` ′                 | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock,<br>\$1.25 par<br>value (1) | 01/27/2011(1)                           | <u>(1)</u>  | Code V  M(1)                           | Amount 416.67 (1)                  | (D)     | Price \$ 32.895 (1) | 3,261.1941<br>(1)  | D  |   |
| Common Stock, \$1.25 par value (1)          | 01/27/2011(1)                           | <u>(1)</u>  | F <u>(1)</u>                           | 147.67<br>(1)                      | D       | \$ 32.895 (1)       | 3,113.5241<br>(1)  | D  |   |
| Common Stock, \$1.25 par value (2)          |   |   |  |                                    |         |                     | 2,840.753  | I  | by Managed Account  |

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3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

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5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and

 $01/25/2014^{(3)}$   $01/24/2018^{(3)}$ 

Stock,

\$1.25 par value (3)

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

| Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)        | Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Date<br>(Month/Day/Year | )               | Underlying (Instr. 3 and           |
|---|---|------------------|---|-----------------|---|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
|   |   |                  |   | Code V          | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable        | Expiration Date | Title                              |
| Restricted<br>Stock Units (1)               | (1)   | 01/27/2011(1)    | <u>(1)</u>                                    | M <u>(1)</u>    | 416.67<br>(1)   | <u>(1)</u>              | <u>(1)</u>      | Common Stock, \$1.25 par value (1) |
| Incentive<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy) | \$ 31.75<br>(3)   |                  |   |                 |   | 01/25/2014(3)           | 01/24/2018(3)   | Common Stock, \$1.25 par value (3) |
| Non-Qualified                               |   |                  |   |                 |   |                         |                 | Common                             |

## **Reporting Owners**

\$ 31.75

(3)

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |

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# **Signatures**

**Stock Option** 

(right to buy)

1. Title of

| Scott H. Gerson  | 01/31/2011 |  |  |
|------------------|------------|--|--|
| **Signature of   | Date       |  |  |
| Reporting Person |            |  |  |

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### **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) Represents restricted stock units granted in 2009 under the 1995 Executive Incentive Compensation Plan. Grant has three year pro-rata vesting. No dividends are paid on the units until the RSUs vest.
- (2) Includes shares that were acquired in the Harsco Corporation Savings Plan in transactions that were exempt from Section 16(b) by virtue of Rule 16a-8(b). The information presented is as of December 31, 2010.
- (3) Stock option granted pursuant to Harsco Corporation 1995 Executive Incentive Compensation Plan in a tranaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.

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