

HANSEN ERIC

Form 4

October 16, 2007

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HANSEN ERIC

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

WASTE CONNECTIONS INC/DE
[WCN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

10/12/2007

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Vice President

35 IRON POINT CIRCLE, SUITE
200

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
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. 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	10/12/2007		M		11,250	A \$ 16.62	21,846 D
Common Stock	10/12/2007		S		11,250 (3)	D \$ 33.3358	10,596 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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.62	10/12/2007		M	11,250 (2)	10/27/2005 02/03/2014	Common Stock 11,250 (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HANSEN ERIC 35 IRON POINT CIRCLE SUITE 200 FOLSOM, CA 95630	Vice President

Signatures

Eric Hansen 10/16/2007
 **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) The zero in Table II, Column 8 is a placeholder only that is required by the EDGAR software and should be disregarded.
This option was previously reported as an option for 25,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$37.40 per share, but was
- (2) adjusted to reflect WCI's 3-for-2 stock splits in the form of 50% stock dividends effective June 24, 2004 and March 13, 2007. Accordingly, on March 13, 2007, the option became exercisable for 56,250 shares at an exercise price of \$16.62 per share.
- (3) This sale was pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.

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