Jacoby Scott W Form 4 January 26, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jacoby Scott W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARSCO CORP [HSC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
350 POPLAR CHURCH ROAD			01/24/2012	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) V.P. & Pres. Harsco Rail Group			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
CAMP HILL, PA 17011				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direc Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/24/2012		A(1)	106	A	\$ 19.985	3,348	D	
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	01/24/2012		F	40	D	\$ 19.985	3,308	D	
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value (2)							3,631.834	I	by Managed Account

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	01/24/2012		A	15,000	01/23/2015	(3)	Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jacoby Scott W 350 POPLAR CHURCH ROAD CAMP HILL, PA 17011

V.P. & Pres. Harsco Rail Group

Signatures

Scott W Jacoby 01/26/2012

**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) These shares were paid in settlement of restricted stock units earned for the two-year performance period ended December 31, 2011.
- With respect to the shares shown as held by the Managed Account, since the date of the Reporting Person's last report, 343.326 shares

 (2) have been acquired under the Harsco Corporation Retirement Savings and Investment Plan. The information presented is as of December 31, 2011.
- Restricted stock units granted under the 1995 Executive Incentive Compensation Plan represent a contingent right to receive Harsco common stock on a one-for-one basis when the restricted stock units vest. Each restricted stock unit has a three-year vesting period. No dividends are paid.

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Reporting Owners 2

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