# THE U.S. JANITORIAL SERVICES INDUSTRY

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- \* ABM Industries
- \* Anago Cleaning Systems
- \* Bonus Building Care
- \* Clean Net USA
- \* Coverall North America
- \* Jan-Pro Intl.

## Continued:

- \* Jani-King Intl.
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- \* Red Coats
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