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April 23, 2008

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

REIN CATHERIN A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Bank of New York Mellon CORP

[BK]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

04/21/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify

Officer (give title below)

METLIFE, INC., 27-01 QUEENS

PLAZA NORTH

(City)

(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

LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101

(State)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Reported (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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Conversion

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

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

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Ac (A Di (D (In		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Securi (Instr.
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	04/21/2008		A		2,655		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,655	<u>(3</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

REIN CATHERIN A
METLIFE, INC.
X

27-01 QUEENS PLAZA NORTH LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101

Signatures

/s/ Arlie R. Nogay, Attorney-in-Fact 04/23/2008

**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) 1-for-1

The deferred stock units vest on the earlier of the date of the Corporation's 2009 Annual Meeting of Shareholders or one year from the grant date. Vested deferred stock units are payable in shares of Common Stock, either in a lump sum or, if the grantee has so elected, in annual installments, in each case beginning on the 30th day following grantee's termination of service as a director of the Corporation. Deferred stock units pay dividend equivalents which are reinvested in additional deferred stock units.

(3) Not Applicable.

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