COVELLO TERESA D

Form 4

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COVELLO TERESA D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

(Month/Day/Year)

12/17/2007

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MFA MORTGAGE **INVESTMENTS [MFA]**

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President, CAO

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

X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O MFA MORTGAGE **INVESTMENTS, INC., 350 PARK**

AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

Code V Amount

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Price

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Stock, par value \$0.01

12/17/2007

\$0 A 1.141 Α 10,603

(D)

D

per share

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exer		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
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							*	Title	Number		
							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COVELLO TERESA D C/O MFA MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS, INC. 350 PARK AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022

Senior Vice President, CAO

Signatures

/s/ Timothy W. Korth, Attorney-in-Fact

12/17/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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