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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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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

PERERA LAWRENCE T

(Middle)

(First)

C/O HEMENWAY & BARNES

(Zip)

LLP, 60 STATE STREET

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02109

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

MFS GOVERNMENT MARKETS **INCOME TRUST [MGF]** 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

(State) (City)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

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)

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

5.

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of

8. Price of Derivative

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Issuer

below)

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

5. Amount of

Securities

Following

Reported

Transaction(s)

Owned

Beneficially

Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	*	Title Amoun or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PERERA LAWRENCE T						
C/O HEMENWAY & BARNES LLP	X					
60 STATE STREET	Λ					
BOSTON, MA 02109						

Signatures

Susan S. Newton, By Power of Attorney

07/01/2009

**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).

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