

Bank of New York Mellon CORP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Brueckner Richard F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Bank of New York Mellon CORP
 [BK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/23/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr. Executive Vice President

ONE WALL STREET
 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10286
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock (Par Value \$0.01)	07/23/2007		A ⁽¹⁾		73,142	A	\$ 44.59
Common Stock (Par Value \$0.01)					18	I	
Common Stock (Par Value \$0.01)					16	I	

By daughter, Sydney
 By son, James

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Common Stock (Par Value \$0.01) 49 I By wife, Laurie

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
7/23/2007 Stock Options \$44.59	\$ 44.59	07/23/2007		A	7,172	03/31/2009 ⁽²⁾ 07/22/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$0.01)	7,172

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Brueckner Richard F ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286			Sr. Executive Vice President	

Signatures

Bart R. Schwartz 07/25/2007

**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) Awards of Restricted Share Units pursuant to The Bank of New York Company, Inc. 2003 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Certain of the awards vest on each of March 31, 2008, March 31, 2009 and July 1, 2010. Vested units will be settled in Common Stock.
- (2) Grant cliff vests on this date.
- (3) Not Applicable

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