

Keaney Timothy F  
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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 \*  
 Keaney Timothy 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)  
 ONE WALL STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/06/2007

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

NEW YORK, NY 10286

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		500	D	\$ 48.7532 175,106.222 D
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		500	D	\$ 48.76 174,606.222 D
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		1,000	D	\$ 48.8 173,606.222 D
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		1,000	D	\$ 48.8232 172,606.222 D
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		500	D	\$ 48.83 172,106.222 D

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Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	1,500	D	\$ 48.8316	170,606.222	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 48.84	169,606.222	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	1,500	D	\$ 48.85	168,106.222	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 48.8501	167,106.222	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	500	D	\$ 48.8516	166,606.222	D	
Common Stock	12/06/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 48.86	165,606.222	D	
Common Stock						4,220.5286 <u>(1)</u>	I	By 401(k) Plan

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 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

## Reporting Owners

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

## Signatures

/s/ Timothy F.  
Keaney

12/10/2007

\_\_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) Represents number of shares of common stock held indirectly in employer's stock fund in The Bank of New York Company, Inc. Employee Savings and Investment Plan, a 401(k) Plan, as of September 30, 2007.

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