

HASSELL GERALD L
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FORM 4

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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 *
HASSELL GERALD L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 200 PARK AVENUE
 (Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10166

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
METLIFE INC [MET]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
04/02/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 04/02/2018 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | V Amount \$ 833 A 45.02 | 1,018 | D | |

Common Stock 29 I By the MetLife Policyholder Trust ⁽²⁾

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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount of Number of Shares |
| Common Stock Equivalent Units | (3) | 04/02/2018 | | A(4) | 333.1853 | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 333.1853 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HASSELL GERALD L 200 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10166 | | X | | |

Signatures

Mark A. Schuman, authorized signer
Date: 04/04/2018

**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) The Reporting Person acquired these Deferred Shares under MetLife, Inc.'s non-management Director compensation arrangements, which provide for 50% of non-management Director retainer fees to be paid in company common stock, and the MetLife Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Management Directors, under which Directors may elect to defer receipt of such stock for a specific period of time.
- (2) Shares held in trust under the MetLife Policyholder Trust established to hold shares of common stock allocated to eligible policyholders of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of MetLife, Inc.
- (3) Each Common Stock Equivalent Unit is the economic value of one share of MetLife, Inc. common stock. Common Stock Equivalent Units were acquired pursuant to the MetLife Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Management Directors, whereby Directors may elect to defer receipt of cash retainer fees for a specified period of time into a fund that tracks MetLife, Inc. common stock. Common Stock Equivalent Units are settled in cash. Directors may transfer deferred cash retainer fees out of the fund that tracks MetLife, Inc. common stock and into other simulated investments.
- (4) The Reporting Person acquired these Common Stock Equivalent Units pursuant to the MetLife Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Management Directors, under which Directors may elect to defer receipt of cash retainer fees for a specified period of time into a fund that tracks MetLife, Inc. common stock.

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