

RIVUS BOND FUND
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
MBIA INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RIVUS BOND FUND [BDF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
113 KING ST
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/18/2008

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

Parent of Inv. Adv. see foot. 1

ARMONK, NY 10504

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | | P | 1,400 | A \$ 13.75 | 327,700 | D |
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | | P | 1,100 | A \$ 13.73 | 328,800 | D |
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | | P | 200 | A \$ 13.72 | 329,000 | D |
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | | P | 700 | A \$ 13.68 | 329,700 | D |

Interest

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|-------------------------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|---------|---|
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | P | 1,100 | A | \$ 13.67 | 330,800 | D |
| Shares of Beneficial Interest | 09/18/2008 | P | 1,200 | A | \$ 13.66 | 332,000 | D |

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

MBIA INC
113 KING ST
ARMONK, NY 10504

Parent of Inv. Adv. see foot.1

Signatures

/s/Ram D. Wertheim, Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary of MBIA Inc.

09/19/2008

**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).

Remarks:

1. This filing is made on behalf of MBIA Inc. ("MBIA"). MBIA Capital Management Corp., the issuer's investment adviser, is

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