

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 \*  
**HASSELL GERALD L**

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)  
**05/28/2008**

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

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

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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**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 (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)		790 D \$ 43.47	278,174.096	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)		2,000 D \$ 43.4727	276,174.096	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)		2,100 D \$ 43.4788	274,074.096	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)		600 D \$ 43.48	273,474.096	D
Common Stock	05/28/2008		S(1)		400 D \$ 43.486	273,074.096	D

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Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 43.49	272,974.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 43.491	272,374.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	2,200	D	\$ 43.4927	270,174.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 43.4966	269,874.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 43.5	269,674.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,400	D	\$ 43.5048	268,274.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 43.51	267,774.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 43.5177	266,874.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 43.5184	266,774.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 43.5191	266,574.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	400	D	\$ 43.5199	266,174.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 43.52	265,974.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 43.522	265,074.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 43.5327	264,174.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	310	D	\$ 43.53	263,864.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 43.5311	263,064.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,300	D	\$ 43.5396	261,764.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 43.5397	260,764.096	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	1,700	D	\$ 43.5414	259,064.096	D	
Common Stock						46,464.7863	I	By 401(k)
						<u>(2)</u>		Plan
						14,269	I	

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Common Stock							By Family Trust
Common Stock	14,269	I					By Second Family Trust
Common Stock	56,604	I					By Wife <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	188,680	I					By GRAT 2007
Common Stock	180,000 <sup>(4)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup>	I					By GRAT 2008

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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HASSELL GERALD L ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286	X		President	

## Signatures

/s/ Arlie R. Nogay,  
Attorney-in-Fact

05/30/2008

\_\_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).
- (1) Option exercise and sales pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted November 5, 2007.
- (2) 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 March 31, 2008.
- (3) I disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (4) These shares, which were previously reported as directly beneficially owned, were contributed to a grantor retained annuity trust on April 22, 2008.
- (5) Form #2 of 4.

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