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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Lee Esther

(Last) (First) (Middle)

METLIFE, INC., 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)
 03/01/2019

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)
 EVP & Chief Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
Common Stock	03/01/2019		M		2,429	A	16,166	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2019		F(2)		929	D	\$ 45.55	15,237	D
Common Stock	03/01/2019		M		1,778	A	17,015	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2019		F(2)		680	D	\$ 45.55	16,335	D
Common Stock	03/04/2019		M		1,319	A	17,654	D	

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Common Stock 03/04/2019 F(2) 505 D \$ 45.66 17,149 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 (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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/01/2019		M	2,429 (3)	(4) (4)		Common Stock	2,429 (3)
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/01/2019		M	1,778 (5)	(4) (4)		Common Stock	1,778 (5)
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/04/2019		M	1,319	(4) (4)		Common Stock	1,319

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lee Esther
METLIFE, INC., 200 PARK AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY 10166

EVP & Chief Marketing Officer

Signatures

Mark A. Schuman, authorized signer

03/05/2019

**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) Each Restricted Stock Unit is the contingent right to receive one share of MetLife, Inc. common stock.

(2) Shares withheld to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligation due on the Restricted Stock Unit payout.

Includes 259 Restricted Stock Units previously added to the reporting person's award through an adjustment to maintain the intrinsic value of the Restricted Stock Units in light of the distribution by MetLife, Inc., to its shareholders of Brighthouse Financial, Inc. common stock. The reporting person did not receive shares of Brighthouse Financial, Inc. common stock on account of the Restricted Stock Units.

(4) The Restricted Stock Units vest in three installments on the first business day in March on or following each of the first three anniversaries of the Grant Date.

Includes 189 Restricted Stock Units previously added to the reporting person's award through an adjustment to maintain the intrinsic value of the Restricted Stock Units in light of the distribution by MetLife, Inc., to its shareholders of Brighthouse Financial, Inc. common stock. The reporting person did not receive shares of Brighthouse Financial, Inc. common stock on account of the Restricted Stock Units.

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