Bank of New York Mellon CORP Form 4

May 12, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Bank of New York Mellon CORP

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Symbol

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

LAMERE DAVID F

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

| | | | | [BK] | | | | | ΚΡ | (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|---------------|----------|------|--|--------------|---------------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) MELLON FINANCIAL CENTER, SUITE 0158 | | | | | | | | | | Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice Chairman | | | |
| | BOSTON, | (Street) MA 02108 (State) | (Zip) | Filed(M | onth/Day | /Ye | | | A _I _X — Pe | Individual or Jointa oplicable Line) (_ Form filed by One _ Form filed by More rson | Reporting Perso than One Repo | on orting | |
| | 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | • | d Date, if | 3. | etio | 4. Securities on Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an | Acqui (D) | _ | 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 | 05/08/2008 | | | S | | 100 | D | \$ 43.91 | 3,582.3055 | I | By 401(k) Plan | |
| | Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | | | S | | 300 | D | \$ 43.92 | 3,282.3055 | I | By 401(k) Plan | |
| | Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | | | S | | 700 | D | \$ 43.93 | 2,582.3055 | I | By 401(k) Plan | |
| | Common | 05/08/2008 | | | S | | 300 | D | \$ 43.94 | 2,282.3055 | I | Ву | |

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| Stock | | | | | | | | 401(k) Plan |
|-----------------|------------|---|----------|---|--------------|-------------|---|----------------------|
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 100.3055 | D | \$ 43.95 | 2,182 | I | By 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,100 | D | \$ 43.96 | 1,082 | I | By 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 43.97 | 682 | I | By 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 682 | D | \$ 43.98 | 0 | I | By 401(k) Plan |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 43.64 | 115,668 (1) | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,400 | D | \$ 43.67 | 114,268 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 43.68 | 113,868 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 300 | D | \$ 43.7 | 113,568 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 900 | D | \$ 43.71 | 112,668 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 2,100 | D | \$ 43.72 | 110,568 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,000 | D | \$ 43.73 | 109,568 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,100 | D | \$ 43.74 | 108,468 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,800 | D | \$ 43.76 | 106,668 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,300 | D | \$ 43.77 | 105,368 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,200 | D | \$ 43.78 | 104,168 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 5,700 | D | \$ 43.79 | 98,468 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 100 | D | \$ 43.795 | 98,368 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 5,400 | D | \$ 43.8 | 92,968 | I | By Wife |

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| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 900 | D | \$ 43.805 | 92,068 | I | By Wife |
|-----------------|------------|---|-------|---|--------------|---------------------|---|---------|
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,300 | D | \$ 43.82 | 90,768 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 1,900 | D | \$ 43.83 | 88,868 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 500 | D | \$ 43.835 | 88,368 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 300 | D | \$ 43.84 | 88,068 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 700 | D | \$ 43.85 | 87,368 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | 05/08/2008 | S | 300 | D | \$ 43.89 | 87,068 | I | By Wife |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 168,751.9127 (1) | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Titl | e and | 8. Price of | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|--|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amou | nt of | Derivative | |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Under | lying | Security | |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securi | ties | (Instr. 5) | |
| | Derivative | | | Securities | | | (Instr | | 3 and 4) | d 4) | |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | ` | | | |
| | , | | | | (A) or | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | | or | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | Title | Number | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | K | eiationsnips | |
|--------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Reporting Owners 3

LAMERE DAVID F MELLON FINANCIAL CENTER SUITE 0158 BOSTON, MA 02108

Vice Chairman

Signatures

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

05/12/2008

**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).
- The Reporting Person's direct holdings include, and the Reporting Person's wife's holdings exclude, 908 shares which were reported on April 25, 2007, as gifts by Reporting Person, but which were in fact gifts by Reporting Person's wife.
- (2) I disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares.

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