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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION										OMB APPROVAL			
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subject t Section Form 4	16.	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES								ed average hours per se 0.5			
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(Print or Type	Responses)												
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol METLIFE INC [MET]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last)							(Check all applicable)						
(3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2007					Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) President, Institutional				
				If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
		(Zip)						Person					
(City)	(State)							equired, Disposed	·	•			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	rity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Dat		Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I Code (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				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(111SU.5 and 4)					
Common Stock	12/14/2007			J <u>(1)</u>	244	А	\$ 61.94	20,581	D				
Common Stock								46	Ι	By MetLife Policyholder Trust (2)			
Common Stock								65	I	By Daughter in the MetLife Policyholder Trust (2)			

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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	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	Deriv
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					4, and 5)						
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					(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting o when reality readers	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Mullaney William J 200 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10166			President, Institutional				
Signatures							
Gwenn L. Carr, authorized signer	1	2/18/2007					
<u>**</u> 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).

Reinvestment of dividends on shares held in Reporting Person's share deferral account (the "Plan Account") pursuant to the MetLife
 (1) Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers. The amount of shares beneficially owned following the reported transaction may include adjustments in the Reporting Person's Plan Account to reflect the accumulation of fractional shares into whole shares.

(2) Shares held in trust under 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.

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