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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT
TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): August 15, 2006

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	METLIFE, INC.	
(Exact Name of Registra	ant as Specified in I	Its Charter)
Delaware	1-15787	13-4075851
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.
200 Park Avenue, New York, New York		10166-0188
(Address of Principal Executive	e Offices)	(Zip Code)
	212-578-2211	
(Registrant's Tel	ephone Number, Inclu	uding Area Code)
	N/A	
(Former Name or Former	Address, if Changed	Since Last Report)
Check the appropriate box k simultaneously satisfy the fili following provisions (see Gener	ng obligation of the	e registrant under any of the
[] Written communication (17 CFR 230.425)	ns pursuant to Rule 4	125 under the Securities Act
[] Soliciting material p CFR 240.14a-12)	oursuant to Rule 14a-	-12 under the Exchange Act (1
[] Pre-commencement comm Exchange Act (17 CFR		to Rule 14d-2(b) under the
[] Pre-commencement comm Exchange Act (17 CFR		to Rule 13e-4(c) under the

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS.

On August 15, 2006, MetLife, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the declaration of third quarter 2006 dividends of \$0.4043771 per share on the Company's floating rate non-cumulative preferred stock, Series A, and \$0.4062500 per share on the Company's 6.50% non-cumulative preferred stock,

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Series B. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (a) Not applicable
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits.
 - 99.1 Press release of MetLife, Inc., dated August 15, 2006, announcing the declaration of third quarter 2006 dividends on its floating rate non-cumulative preferred stock, Series A, and its 6.50% non-cumulative preferred stock, Series B.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

METLIFE, INC.

By: /s/ Gwenn L. Carr

Name: Gwenn L. Carr

Title: Senior Vice-President and Secretary

Date: August 15, 2006

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