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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to **CONNOLLY ROBERT** Issuer Symbol BlackRock Inc. [BLK] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify BLACKROCK, INC., 40 EAST 01/26/2007 below) **52ND STREET** General Counsel (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	oror Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)	
Shares of Common Stock (par value \$0.01 per share)	01/26/2007		A	12,806 (1)	A		39,040.0775 (2)	D		
Shares of Common Stock (par value \$0.01 per share)	01/26/2007		D	12,806 (3)	D	\$ 169.17 (3)	26,234.0775 (2)	D		

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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	e and	8. Price of	_
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	į
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			Securities		(Instr. 5)	Ī
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					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CONNOLLY ROBERT BLACKROCK, INC. 40 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022

General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Daniel R. Waltcher as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert P. Connolly

01/30/2007

**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).

Issuance of shares in settlement of 83.33% of cash denominated awards made in 2002 and 2003 under the BlackRock, Inc. 2002 Long-Term Retention and Incentive Plan (the "2002 LTIP") as previously discussed in BlackRock's proxy statements for those periods. Awards were paid out approximately 50 months after the first grant under the 2002 LTIP although the performance criteria contained in the 2002 LTIP were satisfied on March 31, 2005. On January 16, 2007, the Management Development and Compensation Committee approved January 29, 2007 as the payment date pursuant to the 2002 LTIP. The number of shares of Common Stock reflected above was determined pursuant to the terms of the 2002 LTIP by dividing 83.33% of the vested 2002

LTIP award by \$169.17, the closing price of Common Stock on January 26, 2007.

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Includes 1,370 shares of restricted Common Stock granted under the BlackRock, Inc. 1999 Stock Award and Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan"), vesting on 12/15/07. Also includes 3,093 Restricted Stock Units granted under the Incentive Plan, vesting in equal installments on 1/31/07, 1/31/08 and 1/31/09, and 1,799 Restricted Stock Units granted under the Incentive Plan, vesting in equal installments on 1/31/08, 1/31/09 and 1/31/10. Each Restricted Stock Unit is payable solely by delivery of an equal number of shares of Common Stock.

Represents the disposition of Common Stock to BlackRock, Inc. (as approved by the Management Development and Compensation Committee) pursuant to the exercise of put rights pursuant to the 2002 LTIP. The 2002 LTIP allowed award beneficiaries, following a period of approximately 50 months from the initial grant date, to put Common Stock to be received under the 2002 LTIP to BlackRock, Inc. on the payment date at the same price per share as that used for calculating the number of shares to be paid.

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