Keaney Timothy F Form 4 February 27, 2012

## FORM 4

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Keaney Timothy F Issuer Symbol Bank of New York Mellon CORP (Check all applicable) [BK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) THE BANK OF NEW YORK 02/23/2012 Vice Chairman MELLON CORPORATION, ONE WALL STREET

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(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 Person

NEW YORK, NY 10286

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (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	02/23/2012		A	85,121 (1)	A	\$ 0	321,841.4112	D			
Common Stock	02/23/2012		A	29,331 (2)	A	\$ 0	351,172.4112	D			
Common Stock	02/23/2012		F	13,063	D (3)	\$ 22.03	338,109.4112	D			
Common Stock							9,383.1524 (4)	I	By 401(k) Plan		

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares
EMP OPT-Right to Buy-Type NQ 2/23/2012	\$ 22.03	02/23/2012		A(5)	130,323	02/23/2013	02/22/2022	Common Stock	130,

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Keaney Timothy F THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON CORPORATION ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286

Vice Chairman

## **Signatures**

/s/Arlie R. Nogay, Attorney-in-Fact 02/27/2012

\*\*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).

Award of Restricted Stock Units under the BNY Mellon Long-Term Incentive Plan. Units vest in annual increments of one-third beginning on first anniversary of the award and are subject to forfeiture if certain performance criteria are not achieved for 2012. A

(1) portion of the award also may be forfeited prior to vesting based on ongoing performance adjustment criteria. Vested units will be settled in Common Stock; after-tax shares are subject to six-month holding period in compliance with the Remuneration Code of the Financial Services Authority of the United Kingdom.

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Award of Restricted Stock Units under the BNY Mellon Long-Term Incentive Plan. Units vest and are settled in shares of Common Stock at grant. After-tax shares are subject to a six-month holding period in compliance with the Remuneration Code of the Financial Services Authority of the United Kingdom.

- (3) Shares withheld in payment of tax liability incident to vesting.
- (4) Holdings reported as of 02/10/2012.
  - Grant of Stock Options under the BNY Mellon Long-Term Incentive Plan. Grant becomes exercisable in annual installments of
- (5) one-fourth each beginning on date indicated. A portion of the options may be forfeited prior to vesting based on ongoing performance adjustment criteria.
- (6) Not Applicable.

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