

Highland Credit Strategies Fund
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO/NY		(Month/Day/Year)	Highland Credit Strategies Fund [HCF]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
10 PARK AVENUE			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)	
MORRISTOWN,Â NJÂ 07962			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Highland Credit Strategies Fund ⁽¹⁾	\$ 103,000,000	D	Â
Highland Credit Strategies Fund ⁽²⁾	\$ 2,000,000	D	Â
Highland Credit Strategies Fund ⁽³⁾	\$ 15,000,000	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Amount or Number of Shares	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO/NY 10 PARK AVENUE MORRISTOWN, NJ 07962	^	^ X	^	^

Signatures

/s/ Daniel F. Scudder, Assistant General Counsel
Date: 04/27/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Floating Rate Series A Senior Unsecured Note Due 4/16/2015. See Exh 99-1.
- (2) Floating Rate Series A Senior Unsecured Note Due 4/16/2015. See Exh 99-2.
- (3) Floating Rate Series A Senior Unsecured Note Due 4/16/2015. See Exh 99-3.

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