

MFS CHARTER INCOME TRUST

Form N-23C-1

August 08, 2003

To: Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, D.C.

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Statement of registered closed-end investment company with respect to purchases of its own securities pursuant to Rule N23C-1 during the last calendar month.

**MFS Charter Income Trust - MCR**

Report of the calendar month ending **July 31, 2003**:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Identification of Security</b>	<b>Shares Repurchased</b>	<b>Repurchase Price</b>	<b>NAV</b>	<b>Broker</b>
7/16/03	Shares of beneficial interest	19,000	8.6499	9.54	Merrill Lynch
7/17/03	Shares of beneficial interest	19,000	8.5643	9.53	Merrill Lynch
7/18/03	Shares of beneficial interest	19,000	8.5939	9.53	Merrill Lynch
7/21/03	Shares of beneficial interest	20,000	8.6261	9.50	Merrill Lynch
7/22/03	Shares of beneficial interest	20,000	8.50	9.49	Merrill Lynch
7/23/03	Shares of beneficial interest	20,000	8.5418	9.51	Merrill Lynch

Total Shares Repurchased: **117,000**

Remarks? *(none)*

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