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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Personal AUDET PAUL	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	BlackRock Inc. [BLK]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middl	e) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
BLACKROCK, INC., 40 EAST 52ND STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2008	Director 10% Owne _X Officer (give title Other (special below) below) Acting Chief Financial Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
NEW YORK, NY 10022	i neu(MonunDay, i eat)	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

	(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuritie	es Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio	4. Securities on Acquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
	(Instr. 3)	` ,	any	Code	Disposed	of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5))	Owned Following Reported	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) I	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Shares of Common Stock (par	01/22/2008		A	2,701	A S	\$ 0	131,005 (2)	D	
	value \$0.01 per share)				(1)			_		

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. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Date		Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C + V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

AUDET PAUL BLACKROCK, INC. 40 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022

Acting Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

(1)

/s/ Daniel R. Waltcher as Attorney-in-Fact for Paul Audet

01/24/2008

**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).

Restricted Stock Units granted under the 1999 Stock Award and Incentive Plan as part of the reporting person's bonus approved by the Management Development and Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors for the 2007 fiscal year under the Amended and Restated 1999 Annual Incentive Performance Plan. The number of Restricted Stock Units was determined by dividing the approved dollar value of the equity award by \$198.81, which was the average of the high and low price per share of Common Stock on January 22, 2008. This formula was approved by the Management Development and Compensation Committee on January 15, 2008. Each Restricted Stock Unit is payable solely by delivery of an equal number of shares of Common Stock and vests in equal installments on 1/31/09, 1/31/10 and 1/31/11.

Includes 2,210 restricted stock units granted under the Blackrock, Inc. 1999 Stock Award and Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan"), vesting in equal installments on 1/31/08 and 1/31/09, and 2,018 restricted stock units granted under the Incentive Plan, **(2)** 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.

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