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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement BlackRock Inc. [BLK]  **CONNOLLY ROBERT** (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) BLACKROCK, INC., Â 55 (Check all applicable) **EAST 52ND STREET** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting General Counsel and Senior MD Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10055 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Shares of Common Stock (par value \$0.01 30,324 (1) D Â per share) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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

(Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		(III301. T)	Derivative	Security:	(msu. <i>5)</i>

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	09/29/2011	02/01/2017	Common Stock (par value \$0.01 per share)	28,007	\$ 167.76	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CONNOLLY ROBERT				
BLACKROCK, INC.	â	Â	General Counsel and Senior MD	â
55 EAST 52ND STREET	А	А	A General Counsel and Semon MD	Λ
NEW YORK, NY 10055				

# **Signatures**

/s/ Harris Oliner as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert
Connolly
07/26/2010

\*\*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).

Includes (i) 17,786 Restricted Stock Units vesting on 9/29/11, (ii) 906 Restricted Stock Units vesting on 1/31/11, (iii) 2,576 Restricted Stock Units vesting in equal installments on 1/31/11 and 1/31/12, (iv) 2,199 shares of Restricted Stock vesting in equal installments on 1/31/11, 1/31/12 and 1/31/13 and (v) 4,286 shares of Restricted Stock vesting in installments on 1/31/11 and 1/31/12. Each Restricted Stock Unit is payable solely by delivery of an equal number of shares of Common Stock.

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