

Goulart Steven J  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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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 <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  |  |
| Â Goulart Steven J                        |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | METLIFE INC [MET]   |  |
| (Last)                                    | (First) | (Middle)                             | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
|   |         | 05/01/2011                           |   |  |
| 200 PARK AVENUE                           |         |                                      | (Check all applicable)  |  |
| (Street)                                  |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below)    (specify below)<br>EVP & Chief Investment Officer |  |
| NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10166                      |         |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  |  |
| (City)                                    | (State) | (Zip)                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><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) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 4,108   | D  | Â   |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|
|  | Date Exercisable    Expiration Date                      | Title    Amount or Number of  |  |  |   |

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|   |       |            |                 | Shares |          | (I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|---|-------|------------|-----------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option<br>(Right to Buy) | Â (1) | 02/26/2017 | Common<br>Stock | 10,500 | \$ 62.8  | D                 | Â |
| Employee Stock Option<br>(Right to Buy) | Â (2) | 02/25/2018 | Common<br>Stock | 10,500 | \$ 60.51 | D                 | Â |
| Employee Stock Option<br>(Right to Buy) | Â (3) | 02/23/2019 | Common<br>Stock | 14,000 | \$ 23.3  | D                 | Â |
| Employee Stock Option<br>(Right to Buy) | Â (4) | 02/22/2020 | Common<br>Stock | 17,100 | \$ 34.84 | D                 | Â |
| Employee Stock Option<br>(Right to Buy) | Â (5) | 02/22/2021 | Common<br>Stock | 18,300 | \$ 45.79 | D                 | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                            | Relationships |           |                                  |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                          | Other |
| Goulart Steven J<br>200 PARK AVENUE<br>NEW YORK, NY 10166 | Â             | Â         | Â EVP & Chief Investment Officer | Â     |

## Signatures

Richard S. Collins, authorized  
signer

05/06/2011

\*\*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) The option became exercisable in three equal installments on February 27, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- (2) The option became exercisable in three equal installments on February 26, 2009, 2010 and 2011.
- (3) Two-Thirds (2/3) of this option is currently exercisable and the remaining one-third (1/3) will become exercisable on February 24, 2012.
- (4) One-Third (1/3) of this option is currently exercisable and the remaining two-thirds (2/3) will become exercisable on February 23, 2012 and 2013
- (5) The option will become exercisable in three equal installments on February 23, 2012, 2013 and 2014

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