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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(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] **AMERO SCOTT** (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) BLACKROCK, INC., 40 (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 Vice Chairman Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022 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 Â 41,347.5 (1) D 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)

1. Title of Derivative Security		3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
		Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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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)	12/31/2006	10/15/2012	Common Stock	12,296	\$ 37.36	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
AMERO SCOTT						
BLACKROCK, INC.	Â	â	Vice Chairman	Â		
40 EAST 52ND STREET	Α	А	A vice Chairman	A		
NEW YORK, NY 10022						

Signatures

/s/ Daniel R. Waltcher as Attorney-in-Fact for Scott Amero 12/18/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- * 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 2,764 shares of restricted common stock granted under the BlackRock, Inc. 1999 Stock Award and Incentive Plan (the "Incentive Plan") which vested on 12/15/2007. (Please see Form 4 of 12/18/2007 which details tax withholding relating to the vesting of these shares.) Also includes 3,536 restricted stock units granted under the Incentive Plan, vesting in equal installments on 1/31/2008 and 1/31/2009 and 6,098 restricted stock units granted under the Incentive Plan, vesting as follows: 2,032 units on 1/31/2008, 2,033 units on 1/31/2009 and 2,033 units on 1/31/2010. Each restricted stock unit is payable solely by delivery of an equal number of shares of common stock. Also includes 1,309 shares of common stock held in the BlackRock, Inc. Retirement Savings Plan.

Date

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