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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SARLES H JAY	2. Issuer Name an BANK OF AM			~ ,	:]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATION FEDERAL STREET	3. Date of Earliest 7 04/01/2004	Fransaction (Mont	h/Day/Year)		X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Vice Chm and Spl Advsr to CEO						
BOSTON, MA 02110	4. If Amendment, Γ	Date Original	l Filed	(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group FilingCheck Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2.4 Doorned										
1.Title of Security 2. Transac (Instr. 3) Date (Month/D		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 5 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	04/01/2004		A ⁽¹⁾		230,241 (2)	A	\$ 0 (1)	230,241	D			
Common Stock	04/01/2004		М		69,413	A	\$ 81.47	299,654	D			
Common Stock	04/01/2004		F(3)		23,913	D	\$ 81.47	275,741	D			
Common Stock	04/01/2004		F ⁽⁴⁾		1,795			273,946	D			
Common Stock	04/01/2004		A(1)		19,641.03		0.2	19,641.03	I	401(k)		
Common Stock	04/01/2004		A(1)		111	A	\$ 0 (1)	111	I	By daughter		
Common Stock	04/01/2004		A ⁽¹⁾		8,079	A	\$ 0 (1)	8,079	I	By Eaglemere Foundation		
Common Stock	04/01/2004		A ⁽¹⁾		29,190	A	\$ 0 (1)	29,190	I	GRAT		

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code			Acquired posed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Underlying Securities		Derivative	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Derivative Security: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 81.47	04/01/2004		A(5)		45,416		<u>(5)</u>	04/01/2007(5)	Common Stock	45,416	\$ 81.47	45,416	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 37.26	04/01/2004		A ⁽⁶⁾		66,636		<u>(7)</u>	11/29/2005	Common Stock	66,636	\$ 37.26	66,636	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 41.6	04/01/2004		A ⁽⁶⁾		66,636		<u>(7)</u>	10/15/2006	Common Stock	66,636	\$ 41.6	66,636	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 59.27	04/01/2004		A(6)		49,977		(7)	10/14/2007	Common Stock	49,977	\$ 59.27	49,977	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 70.34	04/01/2004		A ⁽⁶⁾		88,848		<u>(7)</u>	10/20/2008	Common Stock	88,848	\$ 70.34	88,848	D	

Option, Right to Buy	\$ 66.68	04/01/2004	A ⁽⁶⁾	9	97,178		(7)	10/18/2009	Common Stock	97,178	\$ 66.68	97,178	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 62.58	04/01/2004	A ⁽⁶⁾	11	11,060		(7)	10/16/2010	Common Stock	111,060	\$ 62.58	111,060	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 59.36	04/01/2004	A ⁽⁶⁾	11	11,060		(7)	10/15/2011	Common Stock	111,060	\$ 59.36	111,060	D	
Option, Right to Buy	\$ 38.27	04/01/2004	A ⁽⁶⁾	11	11,060		(7)	10/14/2012	Common Stock	111,060	\$ 38.27	111,060	D	
Performance Restricted Stock Units	<u>(8)</u>	04/01/2004	A ⁽⁸⁾	6	59,413		<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	69,413	<u>(10)</u>	69,413	D	
Performance Restricted Stock Units	<u>(8)</u>	04/01/2004	М			69,413	(9)	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	69,413	\$ 81.47	0	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(10)	04/01/2004	A ⁽¹⁰⁾	6	54,168		<u>(11)</u>	<u>(11)</u>	Common Stock	64,168	(8)	64,168	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
SARLES H JAY BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATION 100 FEDERAL STREET BOSTON, MA 02110			Vice Chm and Spl Advsr to CEO							

Signatures

H. Jay Sarles/Roger C. McClary POA	04/02/2004
**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).
- Received in exchange for common stock of FleetBoston Financial at an exchange ratio of .5553 of a share of Bank of America common stock for each share of FleetBoston Financial common stock in (1) connection with the merger of FleetBoston Financial into Bank of America on April 1, 2004. The closing price of FleetBoston Financial common stock on the last day prior to the effective time of the merger was \$44.90 per share.
- (2) Includes 5,209 shares of restricted stock which vested on the effective date of the merger.
- (3) Disposition of shares to the issuer to satisfy the withholding obligation associated with the vesting of 69,413 restricted shares which is exempt under Rule 16b-3(e).
- (4) Disposition of shares to the issuer to satisfy the withholding obligation associated with the vesting of 5,209 restricted shares which is exempt under Rule 16b-3(e).
- (5) These restricted stock units, which are exempt under Rule 16b-3(d), vest on the third anniversary of the grant date.
 - Received in exchange for options to acquire FleetBoston Financial (FleetBoston) at an exchange ratio of .5553 of a share of Bank of America common stock for each share of FleetBoston common stock subject to such option in connection withthe merger of FleetBoston into Bank of America on April 1, 2004. The exercise price per share of Bank of America stock issuable upon exercise of these options is equal to the exercise price per share of FleetBoston common stock at which such FleetBoston option was exercisable immediately prior to the effective time of the merger divided by .5553. The closing price of FleetBoston common stock on the last day prior to the effective time of the merger was \$44.90 per share.
- (7) This option fully vested on the effective date of the merger of FleetBoston Financial into Bank of America Corporation.
- (8) Received in exchange for FleetBoston Financial performance based restricted stock units at the rate of .5553 Bank of America units for each FleetBoston unit in connection with the merger of FleetBoston into Bank of America Corporation on April 1, 2004. The closing price of FleetBoston common stock on the last day prior to the effective time of the merger was \$44.90 per share.
- (9) These performance restricted stock units fully vested on the effective date of the merger.
- (10) Received in exchange for FleetBoston Financial restricted stock units at the rate of .5553 Bank of America restricted stock units for each FleetBoston unit held prior to the merger of FleetBoston into Bank of America Corporation on April 1, 2004. The closing price of FleetBoston common stock on the last day prior to the effective time of the merger was \$44.90 per share.
- (11) These restricted stock units vest in three equal installments commencing February 17, 2005.

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