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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2009 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACKROCK PENNSYLVANIA STRATEGIC MUNICIPAL TRUST [BPS]									
(Middle) RATE Issuer (Check all applicable) Director A. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X_10% Owner									
Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below) Officer (specify below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X_Form filed by More than One Reporting Person									
(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned									
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)									
81 (1) I By Subsidiary									
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially 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)									
2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)									
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Reporting Owners

		Relationships			
Reporting Owner Name / Address		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BANK 100 N	OF AMERICA CORP /DE/ OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER IRYON STREET LOTTE, NC 28255		X		
4 WOR NORTI	ILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INC. LD FINANCIAL CENTER H TOWER YORK, NY 10080		X		

Signatures

/s/ Debra I. Cho, Senior Vice President, Bank of America Corporation		02/10/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
/s/ Pia Thompson, Assistant Secretary, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc.		02/10/2009
**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).

The Auction Rate Preferred Shares ("Shares") reported in Table 1 represent 81 Shares beneficially owned by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc. ("MLPFS"). MLPFS is an indirect, wholly owned subsidiary of Bank of America Corporation ("Bank of America").

Remarks:

The Shares reported herein represent Bank of America's combined holdings in multiple series of auction rate preferred securities of the issuer, which are treated herein as one class of securities in accordance with the Auction Rate Securities-Global Exemptive Relief no-action letter issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on September 22, 2008. Bank of America undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, complete information regarding the number of equity securities of the issuer purchased or sold at each different price and date of all transactions in such securities that occurred after Bank of America became a 10% owner but prior to the date of this filing.

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