

BlackRock Inc.  
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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(Print or Type Responses)

|   |         |  |   |   |
|---|---------|--|---|---|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement   | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol |   |
| Â CONNOLLY ROBERT                         |         | (Month/Day/Year)   | BlackRock Inc. [BLK]                        |   |
| (Last)                                    | (First) | (Middle)   | 07/15/2010                                  |   |
| BLACKROCK, INC., Â 55                     |         | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |   | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  |
| EAST 52ND STREET                          |         |  |   |   |
| (Street)                                  |         | (Check all applicable)   |   |   |
| NEW YORK, Â NY Â 10055                    |         | <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>General Counsel and Senior MD |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| (City)                                    | (State) | (Zip)  |   |   |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4)                  | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|--|---|--|
| Shares of Common Stock (par value \$0.01 per share) | 30,324 <sup>(1)</sup>                                    | D   | Â  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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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                                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                                 |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                         | Other |
| CONNOLLY ROBERT<br>BLACKROCK, INC.<br>55 EAST 52ND STREET<br>NEW YORK, NY 10055 | Â             | Â         | Â General Counsel and Senior MD | Â     |

## 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).
- (1) 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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