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> Pricing Supplement No. 16 - dated October 06, 2006, (To prospectus dated June 5, 2006 and prospectus supplement dated June 15, 2006)

The Bank of New York Company, Inc. [LOGO]

The Bank of New York Company, Inc.

\$1,000,000,000 The Bank of New York Company, Inc. CoreNotes(Registered Service Mark)								
CUSIP Number	Aggregate Principal Amount	Price to Public(1)	Purchasi Agent' Discount	ng s :(1)	Proceeds Before Expenses (1)		
0640P1JQ7	\$3,531,000	100%	2.00%		98.00%			
Rate Per	Interes Payment Frequenc	Mat	urity			===		
5.80% Semiannual 10/15/2021 Yes								
Senior Subordinated Medium-Term Notes, Series I Interest Payment Dates: The 15th day of April and October of each year commencing 04/15/2007.								
Redemption	Information:	Redeemable at the option of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. on 10/15/2009 and each Interest Payment Date thereafter, at a price equal to 100% on 30 calendar days notice.						

calendar days notice.							
CUSTP	Aggregate Principal	Price to	Purchasing Agent's	Proceeds Before			
Number	Amount	Public(1)	Discount(1)	Expenses(1)			

0640P1JR5 \$2,419,000 100% 2.50% 97.50%

Interest	Interest	Stated						
Rate Per	Payment	Maturity	Survivor's					
Annum	Frequency	Date	Option					

5.85% Semiannual 10/15/2031 Yes

Senior Subordinated Medium-Term Notes, Series I

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Interest Payment Dates: The 15th day of April and October of each year

commencing 04/15/2007.

Redemption Information: Redeemable at the option of The Bank of New York

Company, Inc. on 10/15/2011 and each Interest Payment

Date thereafter, at a price equal to 100% on 30

calendar days notice.

The Bank of New York Company, Inc.

One Wall Street

New York, New York 10286

Trade Date: 10/06/2006 Issue Date: 10/12/2006

Minimum Denominations/Increments: \$1,000/\$1,000

Original Issue Discount: No

All trades settle without accrued interest and clear SDFS: DTC Book-Entry only

Merrill Lynch DTC Participant Number: 161

The defeasance and covenant defeasance provisions of the Senior Indenture and the Senior Subordinated Indenture described under "Description of Senior Debt Securities and Senior Subordinated Debt Securities-Legal Defeasance and Covenant Defeasance" in the Prospectus will apply to the Senior and Senior Subordinated Notes respectively.

(1) Expressed as a percentage of the aggregate principal amount

"CoreNotes(Registered Service Mark)" is a registered service mark of Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

Merrill Lynch & Co. Purchasing Agent Acting as Principal
