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Pricing Supplement No. 28 Subject to Completion - dated December 26, 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	Public(1)	Purchasing Agent's Discount(1)	Before	
0640P1KQ5	TBD	100%	2.00%	98.00%	
Interest Rate Per Annum		Mat	ated urity Survi ate Opti		
5.60%	Semi-Ann	ual 1/1	======================================	========	
Senior Subordinated Medium-Term Notes, Series I Interest Payment Dates: The 15th day of July and January of each year commencing 07/15/2007.					
Redemption Information:		Redeemable at the option of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. on 1/15/2010 and each Interest Payment Date thereafter, at a price equal to 100% on 30 calendar days notice.			
CUSIP Number	Aggregate Principal Amount		Purchasing Agent's Discount(1)	Before	
0640P1KR3	TBD	100%	2.50%	97.50%	

______ Interest Interest Stated
Rate Per Payment Maturity Survivor's
Annum Frequency Date Option _____ 5.65% Semi-Annual 1/15/2032

Senior Subordinated Medium-Term Notes, Series I

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Interest Payment Dates: The 15th day of July and January of each year

commencing 07/15/2007.

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

Company, Inc. on 1/15/2012 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: 12/29/2006
Issue Date: 1/03/2007

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
