METLIFE INC Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Townsend Christopher G

(First)

(Street)

(Ctata)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

METLIFE INC [MET]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2016

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

LEVEL 20, CITYPLAZA 3, 14 TAIKOO WAN ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

President, Asia

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Director

TAIKOO SHING, K3 00000

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit (n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/23/2016		A <u>(1)</u>	16,979	A	\$ 38.42	16,979	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2016		D <u>(1)</u>	16,979	D	\$ 38.42	0	D	

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)

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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of S
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.42	02/23/2016		A	35,129	(2)	02/22/2026	Common Stock	35,
Restricted Units (Cash-Payable)	<u>(3)</u>	02/23/2016		A	11,713	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	11,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Townsend Christopher G							
LEVEL 20, CITYPLAZA 3			Desident Asia				
14 TAIKOO WAN ROAD		President, Asia					
TAIKOO SHING, K3 00000							

Signatures

Mark A. Schuman, authorized signer 02/25/2016

**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).
- (1) Cash payout of 2013-2015 Performance Units, following determination of the performance factor for such award. Each Performance Unit is settled in cash equal to the closing price of one share of MetLife, Inc. common stock on the payout date.
- (2) The options become exercisable in three equal installments on February 23, 2017, 2018, and 2019.
- (3) Each Restricted Unit is the contingent right to receive cash equal to the closing price of one share of MetLife, Inc. common stock on the vesting date.
- (4) The Restricted Units vest in three equal installments on the first business day in March 2017, 2018 and 2019.

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