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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BLACKROCK CORPORATE HIGH YIELD FUND III **BOOTH KEVIN** (Month/Day/Year) INC [CYE] 07/06/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) BLACKROCK, INC., Â 40 EAST (Check all applicable) **52ND STREET** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Director 10% Owner X_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Portfolio Manager Person **NEW** Form filed by More than One YORK, NYÂ 10022-5911 Reporting Person (State) (City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Ownership (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) 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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	,	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022-5911

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BOOTH KEVIN

Signatures

Catherine Johnston, Power of Attorney 07/17/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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