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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Steenkamp Henri J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

MF Global Ltd. [MF]

(Month/Day/Year)

11/11/2009

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

below)

C/O MF GLOBAL LTD., 717 FIFTH AVENUE, 9TH FLOOR

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

Chief Accounting Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	Disj		Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Share Options (right to buy) (1)	\$ 30	11/11/2009		D			21,667	<u>(1)</u>	07/18/2014	Common Shares	21,60
Restricted Share Units (2)	(2)	11/11/2009		A		1,867		(2)	(2)	Common Shares	1,86

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Steenkamp Henri J C/O MF GLOBAL LTD. 717 FIFTH AVENUE, 9TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jacqueline M. Giammarco, by power of attorney 11/13/2009

**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).

Each share option represented the right to purchase one common share, par value \$1.00 per share, of MF Global Ltd. (each a "Common

Incentive Plan. One-third of the share options were to vest on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date (becoming fully vested on the third anniversary of the grant date). Each share option became exercisable upon vesting. These share options were granted on July 18, 2007, and were tendered by the reporting person to MF Global Ltd. in connection with a share option exchange program and cancelled on November 11, the first business day following the end of the share option exchange program.

Share"). The share options were subject to the terms and conditions of the MF Global Ltd. Amended and Restated 2007 Long Term

- On November 11, 2009, MF Global Ltd. canceled, pursuant to its share option exchange program, share options granted to the reporting person on July 18, 2007. In exchange for the option, the reporting person received 1,867 restricted share units. Each restricted share unit represents a contingent right to receive one Common Share. The restricted share units will be subject to the terms and conditions MF
- represents a contingent right to receive one Common Share. The restricted share units will be subject to the terms and conditions MF Global Ltd. Amended and Restated 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan. One-third of the restricted share units will vest on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date (becoming fully vested on the third anniversary of the grant date, November 11, 2012). Vested restricted share units will be delivered upon vesting, except in certain limited circumstances described in the award agreement.

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