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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

A Reynolds Robert L

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/01/2008

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PUTNAM MASTER INTERMEDIATE INCOME

TRUST [pim]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

PUTNAM INVESTMENTS. ONE POST **OFFICE SQUARE**

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

/ indirect parent hldg. company

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer _X__ Other (give title below) (specify below) Pres.& CEO, Putnam Investments

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BOSTON, MAÂ 02109

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

Ownership (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of Price of Derivative Direct (D) Security

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Derivative Security: Title

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect
Exercisable Date Number of (I)
Shares (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner

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Officer

Other

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PUTNAM INVESTMENTS ONE POST OFFICE SQUARE BOSTON, MAÂ 02109

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A Pres.& CEO, Putnam Investments

indirect parent hldg.

company

Signatures

Robert L. Reynolds

07/03/2008

**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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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