

SWAFFIELD PAYSON F
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Â SWAFFIELD PAYSON F
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement
(Month/Day/Year)
03/21/2008

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EATON VANCE MASSACHUSETTS MUNICIPAL INCOME TRUST [MMV]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

THE EATON VANCE BUILDING,Â 255 STATE STREET
(Street)

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
___ Officer ___X___ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Management Committee of EV

BOSTON,Â MAÂ 02109
(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

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