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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 *

FERRY JOHN ALLEN

(Last)

PUTNAM

(First)

INVESTMENTS, Â ONE POST

(Street)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/01/2007

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

PUTNAM HIGH INCOME SECURITIES FUND [PCF]

4. Relationship of Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other

(give title below) (specify below) Managing Director of Putnam 6. Individual or Joint/Group

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

BOSTON. MAÂ 02109

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

OFFICE SQUARE

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5) Form:

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

Date

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**

4. 5. Conversion Ownership or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of

Derivative Price of Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

(Instr. 5)

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Shares or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FERRY JOHN ALLEN PUTNAM INVESTMENTS ONE POST OFFICE SQUARE BOSTON, MAÂ 02109

 \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} Managing Director of Putnam \hat{A}

Signatures

John A. Ferry 02/08/2007

**Signature of Person

Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

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