#### **RYAN MATHEW** Form 3 December 05, 2012 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB

## **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting<br>Person <u>*</u><br>RYAN MATHEW  |                             |                | 2. Date of Event Requiring<br>Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>MFS SPECIAL VALUE TRUST [MFV]   |  |                           |   |  |  |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------|---|--|--|---------------------------|---|--|--|
| (Last) (I   | First)                      | (Middle)       | 12/01/2012  | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |                           | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  |  |  |
| MFS INVESTM<br>MANAGEMEN<br>BOYLSTON S'<br>(S<br>BOSTON, M.   | NT, 500<br>TREET<br>Street) |                |   | (Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner<br>OfficerX_ Other<br>(give title below) (specify below)<br>Portfolio Manager |  | r                         | 6. Individual or Joint/Group<br>Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting<br>Person<br>Form filed by More than One<br>Reporting Person |  |  |
| (City) (S   | State)                      | (Zip)          | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned      |  |  |                           |   |  |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4)   |                             |                | 2. Amount o<br>Beneficially<br>(Instr. 4)                   | Owned  | 3.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nat<br>Owne<br>(Instr. | •   |  |  |
| Reminder: Report of owned directly or in  |                             | te line for ea | ch class of securities benefic                              | ially SE   | EC 1473 (7-02  | )                         |   |  |  |
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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) | ty 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying |                        | 4.<br>Conversion       | 5.<br>Ownership         | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|--|---|--------------------|--|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---|
|  |   |                    | Derivative Security                          |                        | or Exercise            | Form of                 |   |
|  |   |                    | (Instr. 4)                                   |                        | Price of               | Derivative              |   |
|  | Date<br>Exercisable   | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount or<br>Number of | Derivative<br>Security | Security:<br>Direct (D) |   |

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Shares

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |                   |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------------------|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other             |  |  |
| RYAN MATHEW<br>MFS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT<br>500 BOYLSTON STREET<br>BOSTON, MA 02116 | Â             | Â         | Â       | Portfolio Manager |  |  |
| Signatures  |               |           |         |                   |  |  |
| Susan S. Newton, By Power of Attorney   | 12/05         | 5/2012    |         |                   |  |  |
| **Signature of Reporting Person   | D             | 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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