

MFS CHARTER INCOME TRUST

Form N-23C-1

April 09, 2003

To: Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, D.C.

Statement of registered closed-end investment company with respect to purchases of its own securities pursuant to Rule N23C-1 during the last calendar month.

MFS Charter Income Trust - MCR

Report of the calendar month ending **March 31, 2003**:

| Date | Identification of Security | Shares Repurchased | Repurchase Price | NAV | Broker |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------|---------------|
| 3/24/03 | Shares of beneficial interest | 20,000 | 8.4405 | 9.27 | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/24/03 | Shares of beneficial interest | 25,000 | 8.45 | 9.27 | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/25/03 | Shares of beneficial interest | 20,000 | 8.4362 | 9.28 | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/26/03 | Shares of beneficial interest | 20,000 | 8.4382 | 9.30 | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/28/03 | Shares of beneficial interest | 45,000 | 8.50 | 9.33 | Merrill Lynch |

Total Shares Repurchased: **130,000**

Remarks? *(none)*

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