

MFS GOVERNMENT MARKETS INCOME TRUST

Form N-23C-1

April 04, 2002

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

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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 Government Markets Income Trust - MGF**

Report of the calendar month ending **March 31, 2002:**

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Identification of Security</b> | <b>Shares Repurchased</b> | <b>Repurchase Price</b> | <b>NAV</b> | <b>Broker</b> |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------|---------------|
| 3/7/02      | Shares of beneficial interest     | 16,000                    | 6.56                    | 7.20       | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/7/02      | Shares of beneficial interest     | 100,000                   | 6.5782                  | 7.20       | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/27/02     | Shares of beneficial interest     | 18,000                    | 6.5434                  | 7.14       | Merrill Lynch |
| 3/27/02     | Shares of beneficial interest     | 30,000                    | 6.5434                  | 7.14       | Merrill Lynch |

Total Shares Repurchased: **164,000**

Remarks? *(none)*

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