

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP INC

Form 4

May 25, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CANGEMI THOMAS R

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
NEW YORK COMMUNITY  
BANCORP INC [NYB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

615 MERRICK AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Executive VP

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

WESTBURY, NY 11590

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V Amount (A) or (D) Price                                           |                                                                                                                    |                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 03/01/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(1)</sup>                        | V 157 A \$ 18.39                                                    | 77,056                                                                                                             | I                                                                    | By 401(k)                                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 03/16/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(1)</sup>                        | V 129 A \$ 19.05                                                    | 77,185                                                                                                             | I                                                                    | By 401(k)                                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/17/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(2)</sup>                        | V 135 A \$ 18.03                                                    | 77,320                                                                                                             | I                                                                    | By 401(k)                                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 05/23/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(2)</sup>                        | V 167 A \$ 18.55                                                    | 12,545                                                                                                             | I                                                                    | By ESOP                                                           |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                     | 641,901                                                                                                            | D <sup>(3)</sup>                                                     |                                                                   |

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|                 |        |   |           |
|-----------------|--------|---|-----------|
| Common<br>Stock | 58,394 | I | By IRA    |
| Common<br>Stock | 1,941  | I | By Spouse |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                          | Date Exercisable                                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                                               |  |                                     |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                | \$ 13.85                                                           |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                                                                    | 07/24/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>                                      | 07/24/2012         | Common<br>Stock                                                     |  | 177,779                             |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                | \$ 16.06                                                           |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                                                                    | 01/21/2005 <sup>(5)</sup>                                      | 01/21/2013         | Common<br>Stock                                                     |  | 248,889                             |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CANGEMI THOMAS R  
615 MERRICK AVENUE  
WESTBURY, NY 11590

Senior Executive VP

## Signatures

By: /s/ Ilene A. Angarola, Power of  
Attorney

05/25/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(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).
- (1) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from exempt acquisitions pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c).
- (2) This form reflects increases in beneficial ownership resulting from dividend reinvestment pursuant to Rule 16a-11.
- (3) All shares held directly are held jointly with Mr. Cangemi's wife.
- (4) Options granted pursuant to the New York Community Bancorp, Inc. 1997 Stock Option Plan that vest in two equal annual installments beginning on July 24, 2004.
- (5) Options granted pursuant to the New York Community Bancorp, Inc. 1997 Stock Option Plan that vest in two equal annual installments beginning on January 21, 2005.

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