BANK OF NEW YORK CO INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

MASTRO THOMAS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BANK OF NEW YORK CO INC

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

[BK]

(Middle)

Director 10% Owner

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Comptroller

X_ Officer (give title below)

Issuer

Other (specify below)

THE BANK OF NEW YORK, ONE

(First)

WALL STREET

(Last)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

08/19/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10286

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		osed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	08/19/2005		S	6,535 Г	\$ 30.99	49,019.27 (1)	D	

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)

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

MASTRO THOMAS J THE BANK OF NEW YORK ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286

Comptroller

Signatures

Thomas J. 08/23/2005 Mastro

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- As of July 31, 2005, reporting person has 48,034.581 stock units in employer's stock fund in The Bank of New York Company, Inc. E mployee Savings and Investment Plan, formerly the Profit Sharing Plan.

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