

BRIDGE BANCORP INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TOBIN THOMAS J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

36 ISLAND CREEK ROAD

(Street)

SOUTHAMPTON, NY 11968

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BRIDGE BANCORP INC [BDGE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/29/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	12/29/2004		G	V Amount <u>1,080</u> (1)	D \$ 30.5	42,991 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common	12/29/2004		G	V Amount <u>1,080</u> (1)	D \$ 30.5	38,155 <u>(2)</u>	I wife
Common (Restricted)						3,240 <u>(2)</u> <u>(4)</u> <u>(5)</u> <u>(6)</u>	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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	(7)					(3)	(7)	Common	42,208 (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TOBIN THOMAS J 36 ISLAND CREEK ROAD SOUTHAMPTON, NY 11968			President and CEO	

Signatures

Thomas J. Tobin 01/03/2005
 **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).
- (1) 1,080 shares gifted to son, daughter-in-law, and grandson in increments of 360.
- (2) All share and per share prices have been restated for a three-for-two stock split effective July 9, 2004.
- (3) Immediate upon date of grant.
- (4) On January 16, 2002, 2,160 were awarded under the Equity Incentive Plan, of which 720 vested on January 16, 2003 and January 16, 2004 and 720 vests on each anniversary thereafter conditioned on continued service at the time of vesting.
- (5) On January 15, 2003, 2,160 were awarded under the Equity Incentive Plan, of which 720 vested on January 15, 2004 and 720 vests on each anniversary thereafter conditioned on continued service at the time of vesting.
- (6) On January 21, 2004, 1,080 were awarded under the Equity Incentive Plan, of which 360 vest on January 21, 2005 and 360 vests on each anniversary thereafter conditioned on continued service at the time of vesting.
- (7) Various.

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