BRIDGE BANCORP 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

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Common

Stock

02/05/2016

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BASSWOOD PARTNERS, L.L.C.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP INC [BDGE]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2016					(Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) NEW YORK, NY 10022					- -	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Yo	ear) Execut any	eemed ion Date, if n/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	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 \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock")	02/04/2016			S	62	D	\$ 27.75	23,575	I	See footnotes (1) (2)	
Common Stock	02/04/2016			S	23,165	D	\$ 27.75	269,178	I	See footnotes (1) (3)	

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footnotes

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\$ 261,346

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Common Stock	02/08/2016	S	6,395	D	\$ 27.5	254,951	I	See footnotes (1) (3)
Common Stock	02/08/2016	S	13,631	D	\$ 27.75	241,320	I	See footnotes
Common Stock						82,596	I	See footnotes (1) (4)
Common Stock						512,228	I	See footnotes (1) (5)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ctionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day	/Year)	Underl	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3) Derivativ	re		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
							Date		Number	
									of	
				Code	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting of the relation	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BASSWOOD PARTNERS, L.L.C. 645 MADISON AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X				
BASSWOOD ENHANCED LONG SHORT GP, LLC C/O BASSWOOD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT L.L.C. 645 MADISON AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR		X				

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NEW YORK, NY 10022

Signatures

Basswood Partners, L.L.C.; By: /s/ Matthew Lindenbaum, Managing Member 02/05/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Basswood Enhanced Long Short GP, LLC; By: /s/ Matthew Lindenbaum, Managing

02/05/2016 Member

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) See Exhibit 99.1
- (2) See Exhibit 99.1
- (3) See Exhibit 99.1
- (4) See Exhibit 99.1
- (5) See Exhibit 99.1

Remarks:

Exhibit List:

Exhibit 99.1 - Explanation of Responses

Exhibit 99.2 - Joint Filer Information

Exhibit 99.3 - Joint Filers' Signatures

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