

VELLI JOSEPH M
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
VELLI JOSEPH M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BANK OF NEW YORK CO INC
[BK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE WALL STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/11/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SEVP of The Bank of New York

NEW YORK, NY 10286

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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 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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	01/01/2005		L	V 40.27 A \$ 33.42	1,007,222.72	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	02/03/2005		L	V 53.25 A \$ 29.5874	1,007,275.97	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	02/11/2005		F	3,681 D \$ 30.53	1,003,594.97	D	

Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	1,135.49 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> I	Held by Spouse
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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)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
VELLI JOSEPH M ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286	SEVP of The Bank of New York

Signatures

Joseph M. Velli	02/14/2005
**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) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (2) Includes 7.6242 shares purchased through Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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