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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading VOUTSINAS SPIROS J Issuer Symbol **NEW YORK COMMUNITY** (Check all applicable) BANCORP INC [NYB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 615 MERRICK AVENUE 12/13/2006 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

WESTBURY, NY 11590

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transactionor Disp		omr Dispo	curities Acquired (A) sposed of (D) : 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/13/2006		Code V S	Amount 1,200 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 16.3501	(Instr. 3 and 4) 124,277	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2006		S	1,400 (1)	D	\$ 16.35	122,877	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2006		S	700 (1)	D	\$ 16.34	122,177	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2006		S	1,300 (1)	D	\$ 16.33	120,877	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2006		S	400 (1)	D	\$ 16.32	120,477	D	

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 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} \\ \text{Stock} \end{array} \hspace{3cm} 18,000 \hspace{3cm} \text{I} \hspace{3cm} \begin{array}{c} \text{By Stock} \\ \text{Award} \end{array}$

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

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02/16/1999(2) 04/28/2008

(In

7,380

Stock

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year) vative rities tired or osed v) :. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	¢ 11 55					02/16/1000(2)	04/28/2008	Common	7 390

Reporting Owners

\$ 11.55

(right to

buy)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VOUTSINAS SPIROS J 615 MERRICK AVENUE WESTBURY, NY 11590	X						

Signatures

By: /s/ Ilene A. Angarola, Power of Attorney 12/15/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) These shares were sold to satisfy tax obligations.
- (2) Stock Options granted pursuant to the TR Financial Corp. 1993/1997 Stock Option Plan are fully vested and exercisable as of February 16, 1999.

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