

BANK OF NEW YORK CO INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**HASSELL GERALD L**

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)  
**06/29/2007**

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

**NEW YORK, NY 10286**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	01/01/2007		L	V	34.3523	A	\$ 39.16	674,161.3423 (1) D
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	01/25/2007		G	V	700	D	\$ 40.745	673,461.3423 (1) D
Common Stock	02/02/2007		L	V	94.8216	A	\$ 40.6498	673,556.1639 (1) D

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(Par Value \$7.50)									
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	02/21/2007	G	V	8,000	D	\$ 42.875	<u>616,863.1639</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	05/04/2007	L	V	93.8601	A	\$ 41.2886	<u>606,801.024</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	06/15/2007	G	V	3,000	D	\$ 42.515	<u>626,367.024</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007	D		426,367.024	D	\$ 41.5096 <sup>(2)</sup>	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007	D		237,249.792	D	\$ 41.5096	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	by 401(k) Plan
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	06/08/2007	G	V	3,553	A	\$ 39.08	23,480 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	by Family Trust
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007	D		23,480	D	\$ 41.5096 <sup>(2)</sup>	0 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	by Family Trust
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	06/08/2007	G	V	3,553	A	\$ 39.08	23,480 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	by Second Family Trust
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007	D		23,480	D	\$ 41.5096 <sup>(2)</sup>	0 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	by Second Family

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Value \$7.50)								Trust	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007		D	60,000 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$ 41.5096	0	I	by Spouse Agnes
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	07/01/2007		D	200,000 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	\$ 41.5096	0	I	GRAT 2007

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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
1/12/99 Stock Options \$35.56	\$ 35.56	07/01/2007		D	175,000	01/12/2000 01/12/2009	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)
1/13/98 Stock Options \$27.47	\$ 27.47	07/01/2007		D	116,360	01/13/1999 01/13/2008	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)
2/11/03 Stock Options \$23.13	\$ 23.13	07/01/2007		D	375,000	02/11/2004 02/11/2013	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)
2/13/01 Stock Options	\$ 54.02	07/01/2007		D	250,000	02/13/2002 02/13/2011	Common Stock (Par

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\$54.02								Value (\$7.50)
2/8/00 Stock Options \$39.31	\$ 39.31	07/01/2007	D	250,000	02/08/2001	02/08/2010	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
3/12/02 Stock Options \$41.85	\$ 41.85	07/01/2007	D	375,000	03/12/2003	03/12/2012	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
3/13/2007 Stock Options \$38.11	\$ 38.11	07/01/2007	D	202,504	03/13/2008	03/13/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
3/14/06 Stock Options \$34.99	\$ 34.99	07/01/2007	D	165,000	03/14/2007	03/14/2016	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
3/4/04 Stock Options \$33.09	\$ 33.09	07/01/2007	D	175,000	03/04/2005	03/04/2014	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
4/2/2007 Stock Options \$40.41	\$ 40.41	07/01/2007	D	91,350	04/02/2008	04/02/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
6/29/2007 Stock Options \$41.44	\$ 41.44	06/29/2007	A	500,000	07/01/2008 <sup>(8)</sup>	06/29/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
6/29/2007 Stock Options \$41.44	\$ 41.44	07/01/2007	D	500,000	07/01/2008	06/29/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 40.41	07/01/2007	D	30,450	<sup>(9)</sup>	04/02/2010	Common Stock (Par Value	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HASSELL GERALD L ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK, NY 10286	X		President	

## Signatures

Gerald L.  
Hassell

07/03/2007

\*\*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).
- (5) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (6) These shares were previously reported as directly beneficially owned but were contributed to a grantor retained annuity trust on June 27, 2007.
- (9) These restricted stock units vest on April 2, 2010.
- (2) Disposed of in exchange for shares of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation ("BNY Mellon") pursuant to the merger of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. ("BNY") into BNY Mellon. The exchange ratio in the merger was .9434 shares of BNY Mellon for each share of BNY, with fractional shares paid in cash under the merger agreement at a price of \$41.5096 per share, except in the case of certain benefit plans, as to which fractional shares will be rolled over.
- (8) 1/3 vest on 7/1/2008, remaining 2/3 vest monthly pro rata for the twenty-four month period following 7/1/2008.
- (3) Represents number of stock units held indirectly in employer's stock fund in The Bank of New York Company, Inc. Employee Savings and Investment Plan, a 401(k) Plan, as of June 29, 2007. Previously reported as owned directly in Profit Sharing Plan. These units were disposed of in exchange for stock units of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation ("BNY Mellon") pursuant to the merger of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. ("BNY") into BNY Mellon. The price shown represents the closing price of Mellon Financial Corporation common stock on June 29, 2007 times .9434 for the shares represented by the units held.
- (10) Disposed of in exchange for restricted stock units of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation ("BNY Mellon") pursuant to the merger of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. ("BNY") into BNY Mellon. The exchange ratio in the merger was .9434 shares of BNY Mellon for each share of BNY.
- (1) 22,566 of these shares have been previously reported as beneficially owned but had been held by Grantor Retained Annuity Trusts until June 8, 2007.
- (7) Disposed of in exchange for options of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation ("BNY Mellon") pursuant to the merger of The Bank of New York Company, Inc. ("BNY") into BNY Mellon. The exchange ratio in the merger was .9434 shares of BNY Mellon for each share of BNY.
- (4) Contribution of shares to a family trust. Reporting person has the right to reacquire the shares by substituting other property of equal value.

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