

HASSELL GERALD L  
Form 4  
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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)  
04/02/2007

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)					615,277.99	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)					235,907.454 (1)	I	by 401(k) Plan
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)					19,927 (2)	I	by Family Trust

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Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	29,672 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	by GRAT
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	19,927 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	by Second Family Trust
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	60,000 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	by Spouse Agnes

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
4/2/2007 Stock Options \$40.41	\$ 40.41	04/02/2007		A	91,350	04/02/2008 <sup>(5)</sup> 04/02/2017	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 40.41	04/02/2007		A	30,450	04/02/2010 <sup>(6)</sup> 04/02/2010 <sup>(6)</sup>	Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HASSELL GERALD L  
ONE WALL STREET  
NEW YORK, NY 10286

X President

## Signatures

Gerald L.  
Hassell 04/04/2007

\_\_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).
- (4) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (5) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on April 2, 2008.
- (6) These restricted stock units vest on April 2, 2010.
- (1) 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 March 31, 2007. Previously reported as owned directly in Profit Sharing Plan.
- (3) These shares were previously reported as directly beneficially owned but were contributed to a grantor retained annuity trust on May 27, 2004.
- (2) 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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