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U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or
 Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

[] Check this box if no longer subject of Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5
 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Becker, Christopher

 (Last) (First) (Middle)

PO Box 1982

 (Street)

East Hampton, NY 11937

 (City) (State) (Zip)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Bridge Bancorp, Inc. BDGE

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3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

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4. Statement for Month/Year

2/01

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5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

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6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

[] Director [] 10% Owner
 [X] Officer (give title below) [] Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

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Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of,
 or Beneficially Owned

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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (mm/dd/yy) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.4) | 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--|------------------|---------|--|---|--|
| | | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/02/01 | P | 197 shs. | A | \$16.25 | 3,000 | D | |
| Common Stock (Restricted*) | 01/17/01 | A V | 900 | A | \$16.50 | 1,500 | D | |

*900 Shares awarded under the Equity Incentive Plan, of which, 300 vested on January 15, 2001 and are included in directly owned

common stock above, and 300 vesting on each anniversary thereafter conditioned on continued service at the time of vesting.
900 Shares awarded under the Equity Incentive Plan, vesting 300 on January 17, 2002 and 300 on each anniversary thereafter
conditioned on continued service at the time of vesting.

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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. Conver- sion of Exer- cise Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity | 3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year) | 4. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8) ----- Code V | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ----- (A) (D) | 6. Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ----- Date Expira- tion Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) ----- Amount or Number of Shares | 8. Price of Deriv- ative Secur- ity (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Bene- ficially Owned at End Month (Instr. 4) | 10. Owner- ship of Deriv- ative Secur- ity: Direct (D) or In- direct (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of In- direct Bene- ficial Owner- ship (Instr. 4) |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|----------|--|--|--|---|--|
| Stock Options | | 01/17/01 | A V | 2,500 shs. | 01/17/01 | 01/17/11 | Common Stock 2,500 | | 20,000 | D | |

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Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Christopher Becker

03/08/01

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.
If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedures.