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## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addr             | 1 8                             | Person* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>BRIDGE BANCORP INC [ BDGE ] |                        | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)            |                       |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|--|------------------------|---|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| HEFTER MARCIA                |                                 |         | [ ]  | X                      | Director  | 10% Owner             |  |  |  |
| (Last)<br>52 INLET VIE       | (First) (Middle)<br>T VIEW PATH |         | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>05/17/2005             |                        | Officer (give title<br>below)   | Other (specify below) |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>EAST<br>MORICHES | X1                              | 11940   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                   | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X | vidual or Joint/Group Fili<br>Form filed by One Re<br>Form filed by More th<br>Person | eporting Person       |  |  |  |
| (City)                       | (State)                         | (Zip)   |  |                        |   |                       |  |  |  |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transaction<br>Code (Instr. |   |        |               |         | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|---|--------|---------------|---------|---|---|---|--|
|                                 |  |   | Code                        | v | Amount | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (Instr. 4)  |  |
| Common                          | 05/17/2005                                 |   | Р                           |   | 100    | A             | \$28.25 | 20,552  | D   |   |  |
| Common                          |  |   |                             |   |        |               |         | 11,780  | Ι   | Husband   |  |

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) o<br>Dispo<br>of (D<br>(Insti | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |                     | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |        | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------|--|--------|--|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)  | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date   | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   |  |  |  |
| Stock<br>Options                                    | (1)   |  |   |                              |   |  |   | (1)                 | (1)  | Common | 1,575  | 1,575  | D  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Various.

**Remarks:** 

### Marcia Z. Hefter

05/18/2005 Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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