FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SUSKIND DENNIS A							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP INC [BDGE]										all appl	icable)	ıg Per	rson(s) to Iss			
<u> </u>																	Direct	or		10% O	wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2200 MONTAUK HIGHWAY							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2008											er (give title v)		Other (below)	specify		
P.O. BOX 3005						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)																	X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
BRIDGEHAMPTON NY 11932																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City) (State) (Zip)																							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date (Month/I						ar) E	A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Di Code (Instr. 5)		Dispose	. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			4 and Securit		es ially Following	Form: Direct		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										Code	v	Amount	t	(A) or (D)	Pric	Transa		etion(s) and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common																75		5,600		D			
Common 12/17/2						2008			P		100)	A	\$1	9.6	10,269				Daughter 1			
Common 12/17/2						/2008				P		400)	A	\$1	\$19.6		9,544		I	Daughter 2		
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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (or Indir (I) (Inst	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat	te ercisable		piration ate	Title	1	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r							
Stock Options	(1)									(1)		(1)	Common 975		975			975		D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. Various

Remarks:

/s/ Dennis A. Suskind

12/17/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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