FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     TOBIN THOMAS J						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP INC [ BDGE ]											Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) PO BOX 3005							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/03/2009											(give title	10% Ov Other (s below) at Emeritus		· I	
(Street) BRIDGEHAMPTON NY 11932 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	es A	cqu	ıired, [	Disp	osed o	of, or	Ber	neficia	ally	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D.						ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea			3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)						es ally Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	,	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)					
Common 09/03/							2009			S		1,11	2	D	\$2	26	27,080			D		
Common 09/03/						2009				S		2,50	0	D	\$2	26	29	,693		I	Wife	
		Т	able II -									sed of					wned					
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)				6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			ole and 7. Tit Amo Secu Unde Deriv		7. Title and Amount of Securities Inderlying Derivative Security Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Securities Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisable		piration te	Title		Amoun or Number of Shares							
Stock Options	\$25.25									(1)	01/	/27/2016	Comn	non	2,134			2,134		D		
Stock Options	\$30.6								01	/21/2005	01/	/21/2015	Comn	non	750			750		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These stock options vest ratably over five years beginning on December 31, 2006.

## Remarks:

Thomas J. Tobin

09/08/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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