FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MASSOUD CHARLES I						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Dime Community Bancshares, Inc. /NY/ [DCOM]								heck all app	tor	ng Pers	10% O\	wner
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle) O BOX 3005					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2021								belov	er (give title v)		Other (s	sреспу
(Street) BRIDGEHAMPTON NY 11932 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 3.															7 Nature			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,					Disposed Of	Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar				Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				(111311. 4)
Common													26,517	26,517.4797 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾		D		
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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)	or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		tion Date, Trans		(Instr. Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)		vative crities cired r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y C F D O (I	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This "Exit" Form 4 is voluntarily filed to report solely that the Reporting Person is no longer serving as a Director as a result of the merger, effective February 1, 2021.
- 2. Reflects transactions not required to be reported pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Remarks:

/s/ Edward A. Quint, pursuant to power of attorney

02/03/2021

** 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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