HASSELL GERALD L

Form 4

February 15, 2005

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_	UNITI	ED STATE	S SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE Washington, D.C. 20549	COMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287	
Check this if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may contin See Instruct 1(b).	STAT Filed Section	PEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940				January 31, 2005 average rs per 0.5	
(Print or Type Re	sponses)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HASSELL GERALD L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Issuer	ship of Reporting Person(s) to		
			BANK OF NEW YORK CO INC [BK]	(Check	e)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	_X_ Director	10%	Owner	

WALL STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Month/Day/Year)

THE BANK OF NEW YORK, ONE 02/11/2005

Filed (Month/Day/Year)Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

X Officer (give title _

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10286				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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	01/01/2005		L		Amount 40.27	(D)	\$ 33.42	858,535.44	D	
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	02/03/2005		L	V	111.74	A	\$ 29.5874	858,647.18	D	
	02/11/2005		F		5,154	D	\$ 30.53		D	

_ Other (specify

below)

President

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Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	853,493.18 (1)		
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	71,822	I	by GRAT
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	60,000 (2)	I	Held by Spouse-Agnes
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	28,927	I (3)	Held by family trust
Common Stock (Par Value \$7.50)	28,927	I (3)	Held by second family trust

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amount of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired				
					(A) or				
					Disposed				
					of (D)				
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date	Expiration	Title Amount	
					(11) (D)	Exercisable	Date	or	
								Number	
								of	

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Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HASSELL GERALD L THE BANK OF NEW YORK ONE WALL STREET NEW YORK NY 10286	X		President				

Signatures

Gerald L.
Hassell

**Signature of Reporting Person

O2/14/2005

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) As of January 31, 2005, reporting person has 221,550.738 stock units in employer's stock fund in The Bank of New York Company, In c. Employee Savings and Investment Plan, formerly the Profit Sharing Plan.
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (3) Contribution of shares to a family trust. Reporting person has the right to reacquire the shares by substituting other property of equal value.

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