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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br><u>CIVIL PATRICIA T</u> |   |  |  |            |                              | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>NBT BANCORP INC</u> [ NBTB ] |  |   |  |                 |                    |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)         X       Director         10% Owner |   |   |  |  |  |
| (Last)<br>52 SOU  |   |  | of Earlie<br>2013                              | est Tra    | insaction (Mc                | onth/[   | Day/Year)  |   | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) |                 |                    |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>NORWICH NY 13815  |   |  |  |            |                              |  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)       |   |  |                 |                    |  |  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>Line)<br>X Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting |   |  |  |  |
| (City)  | (S  | tate)                                      | (Zip)  |            | -                            |  |  |   |  |                 |                    |  |  | Persor   | า   |   | ·  |  |  |
|   |   | Tab  | ole I - Nor                                    | n-Deriv    | vativ                        | e Se   | curiti   | ies A   | cquired,   | Dis             | posed o            | f, or Be   | neficia                                | lly Owned  | I   |   |  |  |  |
|   |   |  | 2. Trans<br>Date<br>(Month                     |            | ear)                         | Execution Date   |  | Code (I   | Transaction I<br>Code (Instr.                    |                 |                    |  | d Securitie<br>Benefici<br>Owned F     | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported  |   | n: Direct o<br>r Indirect E<br>nstr. 4) 0 | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)        |  |  |
|   |   |  |  |            |                              |  |  | Code  | v  | Amount          | (A) oi<br>(D)      | r Price  | Transac                                | tion(s)  |   | `   |  |  |  |
| NBT Bar   | ncorp Inc. C  | ommon Stock                                |  | 05/0       | 1/201                        | 3  |  |   | A  |                 | 1,081              | <sup>(1)</sup> A   | \$0                                    | ) 13,17  | 76.747  |   | D  |  |  |
|   |   | ٦  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | quired, D<br>ts, option                          |                 |                    |  |  | y Owned  |   |   |  |  |  |
| 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. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Day | d<br>Date, | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) | action   | 5. Nu<br>of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) o<br>Disp<br>of (D | umber<br>vative<br>urities<br>uired<br>or<br>osed<br>)<br>r. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exe<br>Expiration I<br>(Month/Day        | rcisal<br>Date  | ble and            | 7. Title an<br>Amount o<br>Securities<br>Underlyin<br>Derivative<br>(Instr. 3 an | d<br>f<br>g<br>s Security              | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | Derivative derivative<br>Security Securities  |   | 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 |  |   |   |  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$18.3825   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 05/19/2004 <sup>(</sup>                          | 2) 0            | 5/19/2013          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 600                                    |  | 600   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$20.7492   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 05/01/2006 <sup>(</sup>                          | 2) 0            | 5/01/2015          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 1,500                                  |  | 1,500   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$20.7642   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 04/28/2007 <sup>(</sup>                          | 3) 0            | 4/28/2015          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 400                                    |  | 400   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$21.74   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 05/01/2007 <sup>(</sup>                          | 2) 0            | 5/01/2016          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 1,500                                  |  | 1,500   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$22.1388   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 01/01/2005 <sup>(</sup>                          | <sup>2)</sup> 0 | 1/01/2014          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 1,500                                  |  | 1,500   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$22.4842   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 05/01/2008 <sup>(</sup>                          | 2) 0            | 5/01/2017          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 1,500                                  |  | 1,500   |   | D  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                       | \$22.5508   |  |  |            |                              |  |  |   | 05/01/2009 <sup>(</sup>                          | <sup>2)</sup> 0 | 5/01/2018          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock  | 1,750                                  |  | 1,750   |   | D  |  |  |

|   | 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>Dispe<br>of (D | r<br>osed<br>)<br>r. 3, 4 | Expiration Dat            | Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | 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   |  |  |  |  |
| Non-<br>Qualified<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$23.2708  |  |   |                              |   |  |                           | 01/20/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> | 01/20/2015                          | NBT<br>Bancorp<br>Inc.<br>Common<br>Stock | 630  |  | 630  | D  |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired pursuant to the NBT Bancorp Inc. 2008 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Each outside director is entitled to receive an annual retainer for Board service in the form of restricted stock units of the Company's common stock that vests in three annual installments.

2. Pursuant to NBT Non-Employee Director, Divisional Director and Subsidiary Director Stock Option Plan grant vests 40% for first year, 20% annually for following years.

3. Pursuant to NBT Non-Employee Director, Divisional Director and Subsidiary Director Stock Option Plan reload grant vests 100% two years after date of its grant.

 By: F. Sheldon Prentice, Power

 of Attorney For: Patricia T.

 05/03/2013

 Civil

 \*\* 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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