## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CHEWENS MICHAEL J</u>				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NBT BANCORP INC [ NBTB ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 52 SOUTH BROAD STREET				of Earlie 2015	est Tra	เทรลด	tion (Mo	nth/E	Day/Year)	7				Other (s below) CFO	pecity					
(Street) NORWICH NY 13815			4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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		Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		.	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)		l (A) or . 3, 4 and		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock			03/1	0/201	5				A		5,498	5,498(1)		\$0.0	46	,258	D			
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock															14,62	14,622.927		I	401k	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock														3,92	3,922.861		I :	NBT Bancorp ESOP		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  33. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				Date,		. 5. Nu ransaction of code (Instr. Deriv			Exp	Date Exer piration D onth/Day/	ate	le and 7. Title and Amo		s Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		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		xpiration ate	Title		Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.38								01/	(15/2010 <sup>(2</sup>	2) 0	1/15/2019	NE Band In Com Sto	c. mon	18,000		18,000	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$25.762								01/	01/2008 <sup>(3</sup>	3) 0	1/01/2017	NE Band In Com Sto	c. ;	20,000		20,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. Omnibus Performance Unit Agreement, each member of a select group of Management is entitled to receive an award based on Company performance goals in the form of restricted stock units that vest one year following the end of a performance period.
- 2. Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. Omnibus Stock Option Agreement the grant vests 40% for first year, 20% annually for following years.
- 3. Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. 1993 Stock Option Plan grant vests 40% for first year, 20% annually for following years.

By: F. Sheldon Prentice, Power of Attorney For: Michael J. 03/11/2015 Chewens

\*\* 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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