FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Wadsworth Robert A						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)						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 52 SOUTH BROAD STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2017										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
		4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable								
(Street) NORWI	Street) NORWICH NY 13815														Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													Person					
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	vative	e Sec	curiti	es A	cqu	uired, D	isp	osed o	f, or Be	enefi	ciall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/L						ear) l	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		e, Transaction C Code (Instr. 5				. Securities Acquired (A) isposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				es Fo ially (D) Following (I)		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	Reported Fransaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock 05/23/						2017				A		682(1	2 <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$ <mark>0.0</mark>	14,56	568.704		D		
		7	Γable II -							red, Dis						Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	cution Date, Ti		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				Date Exerc piration Da pnth/Day/Y	ıte	e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		of s ng e Secu	urity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.5508								05/0	01/2009 <sup>(2)</sup>	05	5/01/2018	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	1,6	525		1,625		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.

By: F. Sheldon Prentice, Power of Attorney For: Robert 05/25/2017
Wadsworth

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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