## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Add <u>RAVEN DA</u>	ress of Reporting Pe <u>VID E</u>	erson <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NBT BANCORP INC</u> [ NBTB ]		ationship of Reporting Per < all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) 52 SOUTH BF	Last) (First) (Middle) 52 SOUTH BROAD STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/25/2006		Officer (give title below) President & CE(	Other (specify below) O Pennstar
(Street) NORWICH (City)	NY (State)	13815 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	porting Person

#### 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11150.4)
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		М		8,400	A	\$14.88	23,352	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		S		8,400	D	\$24.492	14,952	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		М		5,000	A	\$16.0625	19,952	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		S		5,000	D	\$24.492	14,952	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		М		27,900	A	\$14.3492	42,852	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	10/25/2006		S		27,900	D	\$24.492	14,952	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock								5,189.0799	Ι	401k
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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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		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)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.3492	10/25/2006		М			27,900	01/28/2003 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/28/2012	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	27,900	\$0	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.88	10/25/2006		М			8,400	01/24/2001 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/24/2010	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	8,400	\$0	0	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.0625	10/25/2006		М			5,000	01/22/2002 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/22/2011	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	5,000	\$0	17,400	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.6424							01/28/1998 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/28/2007	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	0.5		0.5	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.538							01/01/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/01/2013	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	18,450		18,450	D	

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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.1632							01/27/1999 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/27/2008	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	3,969		3,969	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.4886							07/07/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	07/07/2009	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	2,315.25		2,315.25	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.5952							01/26/2000 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/26/2009	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	5,145		5,145	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.1715							01/01/2005 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/01/2014	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	15,831		15,831	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.352							01/01/2007 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/01/2016	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	20,000		20,000	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.1133							01/26/2007 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/26/2015	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	1,543		1,543	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$23.2708							01/20/2006 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/20/2015	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	16,289		16,289	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. 1993 Stock Option Plan grant vests 40% for first year, 20% annually for following years.

2. Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. 1993 Stock Option Plan reload grant vests 100% two years after date of its grant.

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10/27/2006

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\*\* 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).

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