NBT BANCORP INC
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LEVY JEFFREY M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

52 SOUTH BROAD STREET

(Street)

NORWICH, NY 13815

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
NBT BANCORP INC [NBTB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/27/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP/ Pres Commercial Banking

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	07/27/2016		M		9,000	A	$ 20.19	57,139.096	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	07/27/2016		S		9,000	D	$ 29.8309	48,139.096	D	
NBT Bancorp	07/27/2016		M		13,000	A	$ 25.38	61,139.096	D	

Inc. Common Stock									
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	07/27/2016		S	13,000	D	$ 29.8309	48,139.096	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	07/27/2016		M	9,000	A	$ 25.762	57,139.096	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	07/27/2016		S	9,000	D	$ 29.8309	48,139.096	D	
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock							5,879.115	I	401k
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock							1,080.335	I	NBT Bancorp ESOP

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A C N

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 20.19	07/27/2016	M	9,000	01/15/2011[(1)]	01/15/2020	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 25.38	07/27/2016	M	13,000	01/15/2010[(1)]	01/15/2019	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 25.762	07/27/2016	M	9,000	01/01/2008[(2)]	01/01/2017	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEVY JEFFREY M 52 SOUTH BROAD STREET NORWICH, NY 13815			EVP/ Pres Commercial Banking	

Signatures

By: F. Sheldon Prentice, Power of Attorney For: Jeffrey M. Levy 07/28/2016

[**]Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Pursuant to NBT Bancorp Inc. Omnibus Stock Option Agreement the grant vests 40% for first year, 20% annually for following years.

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

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