

Hand Joseph Thomas  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Hand Joseph Thomas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
YORK WATER CO [yorw]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
130 EAST MARKET STREET, P O BOX 15089

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/28/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Chief Operating Officer

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

YORK, PA 17405-7089

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
common stock					6,404.677	D	
common stock	12/28/2011		P	16.07 A	\$ 17.424 116.702	I	By Child (Thomas)
common stock	12/28/2011		P	6.313 A	\$ 17.424 60.781	I	By Child (Lauren)
common stock	12/28/2011		P	11.478 A	\$ 17.424 65.45	I	By Child (Brian)
common stock					41.934	I	By Child (Kevin)

