#### **BRIDGE BANCORP INC**

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SUSKIND DENNIS A |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP INC [BDGE] |                                 |                 |                           |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) |  |  |   |
|--|---|--|---------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---|--|--|--|---|
| (Last)   | (First) (N                              | Middle)  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction |                 |                           | ·   | ••   |  |  |   |
| 2200 MONTAUK HIGHWAY, P.O. 12/04/2<br>BOX 3005             |   |  | (Month/D)<br>12/04/20           | •               |                           |   |  | X Director<br>Officer (giv<br>below)   |  | % Owner eer (specify  |
|  | (Street)                                |  | 4. If Ame                       | ndment, Da      | nte Origina               | l   |  | 6. Individual or   | Joint/Group Fili   | ng(Check  |
| Filed(Month/Day/Year)                                      |   |  |                                 |                 |                           | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |  |  |   |
| BRIDGEHA   | MPTON, NY 11                            | 1932   |                                 |                 |                           |   |  | Person   |  |   |
| (City)   | (State)                                 | (Zip)  | Table                           | e I - Non-I     | <b>Derivative</b>         | Secur   | ities Aco  | quired, Disposed   | of, or Beneficia   | lly Owned   |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                       | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution any  | med<br>on Date, if<br>Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | on(A) or D (D) (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or   | d of 5)  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common   |   |  |                                 | Code V          | Amount                    | (D)   | Price  | 75,600   | D  |   |
| Common   | 12/04/2008                              |  |                                 | P               | 703                       | A   | \$<br>19.5   | 8,981  | I  | Daughter (1)  |
| Common   |   |  |                                 |                 |                           |   |  | 7,982  | I  | Daughter (2)  |
| D  |   | £l   | 1£                              |                 | : _: _11                  |   | 41   | : 1:41   |  |   |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise          | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4.<br>Transaction | 5. onNumber of  | 6. Date Exer<br>Expiration D<br>(Month/Day) | ate                | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4 | Securities                             | 8. Price of Derivative Security |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| (Instr. 3)                      | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |                                      | (Month/Day/Year)                  | (Instr. 8)        | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | e `   |                    | (Library Country)                           | ,                                      | (Instr. 5)                      |
|                                 |                                    |                                      |                                   | Code V            | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                         | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                       | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                                 |
| Stock options                   | <u>(1)</u>                         |                                      |                                   |                   |   | <u>(1)</u>                                  | <u>(1)</u>         | Common                                      | 975                                    |                                 |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 8  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| SUSKIND DENNIS A<br>2200 MONTAUK HIGHWAY<br>P.O. BOX 3005<br>BRIDGEHAMPTON, NY 11932 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

/s/ Dennis A.
Suskind

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

### **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) Various

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