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NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP INC

Form 8-K June 08, 2005

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 7, 2005

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-31565 06-1377322

(State or other jurisdiction Commission File Number (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation or organization)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (516) 683-4100

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 8.01 Other Events

On June 7, 2005, New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a news release announcing that its application for the establishment of a limited-purpose commercial bank was approved by the New York State Banking Board, and that it received its first municipal deposits in connection with the designation of one of its Queens-based branches as a "Banking Development District Branch" by the New York State Banking Department. The Company also announced that the Bank received a \$42.0 million allocation under the U.S. Treasury Department's New Markets Tax Credit Program.

ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is the news release issued by the Company on June 7, 2005.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

June 7, 2005	NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.
Date	

/s/ Joseph R. Ficalora

Joseph R. Ficalora

President and Chief Executive Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 News release issued by the Company on June 7, 2005.