

UNITY BANCORP INC /NJ/
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FORM 4

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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 *
HUGHES JAMES A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O UNITYBANK CORP, 64 OLD HWY 22

(Street)

CLINTON, NJ 08809

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNITY BANCORP INC /NJ/ [unty]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/02/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President/CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 04/02/2008 | | A | (A) or (D) A | 1,000 (1) \$ 7.85 | D | |

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)

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| 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|
| Stock Options | \$ 7.85 | 04/02/2008 | | A | 3,000 (2) | 04/02/2009 ⁽³⁾ 04/02/2018 | Common Stock 3,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HUGHES JAMES A C/O UNITYBANK CORP 64 OLD HWY 22 CLINTON, NJ 08809 | X | | President/CEO | |

Signatures

James A. Hughes by POA, Linda McDermott 04/02/2008

__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) 1,000 restricted shares were granted effective 4/2/2008 and issued from the 2004 Stock Bonus Plan; vesting commences with -0- shares on 4/2/2008; 250 shares on 4/2/2009; 250 shares on 4/2/2010; 250 shares on 4/2/2011; and 250 shares on 4/2/2012.
- (2) 3,000 non-qualified stock options were granted on 4/2/2008 from the 2006 Stock Option Plan; vesting over a three-year period; on each of the first three anniversary dates, one-third of the option shall vest; i.e., 1,000 on 4/2/2009; 1,000 on 4/2/2010 and 1,000 on 4/2/2011.
- (3) See Footnote 2.

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