

CHEWENS MICHAEL J
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CHEWENS MICHAEL J
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

52 SOUTH BROAD STREET
 (Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2004

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior EVP & CFO

NORWICH, NY 13815
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting
 (check applicable line)

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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	12/31/2004		J	489.722 A	\$ 0 (1)	4,258.952 I	401k
NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	12/31/2004		J	123.816 A	\$ 0 (2)	2,325.249 I	NBT Bancorp ESOP

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Inc.
Common
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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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.3492	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	01/28/2003 ⁽³⁾ 01/28/2012	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.0625	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	01/22/2002 ⁽³⁾ 01/22/2011	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.538	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	01/01/2004 ⁽³⁾ 01/01/2013	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.1632	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	01/27/1999 ⁽³⁾ 01/27/2008	NBT Bancorp Inc. Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 20.5952	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	01/26/2000 ⁽³⁾ 01/26/2009	NBT Bancorp

