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### NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP INC

Form 8-K April 19, 2002

# 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) April 17, 2002

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

615 Merrick Avenue, Westbury, New York 11590
-----(Address of principal executive offices)

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

Not applicable

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

#### CURRENT REPORT ON FORM 8-K

Item 1. Changes in Control of Registrant

Not applicable.

Item 2. Acquisition or Disposition of Assets

Not applicable.

Item 3. Bankruptcy or Receivership

Not applicable.

Item 4. Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant

Not applicable.

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Item 5. Other Events

On April 17, 2002, New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company"), a Delaware Corporation, reported its earnings for the three months ended March 31, 2002 and also announced a 25% increase in its quarterly cash dividend to \$0.20 per share.

Item 6. Resignations of Registrant's Directors

Not applicable.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (a) No financial statements of businesses acquired are required.
- (b) No pro forma financial information is required.
- (c) Attached as exhibits are the Company's first quarter 2002 earnings release and its dividend announcement.
- Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year

Not applicable.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

Not applicable.

#### 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.

April 17, 2002

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

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Date

/s/ Joseph R. Ficalora

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Joseph R. Ficalora

President and Chief Executive Officer

#### EXHIBIT INDEX

- 99.1 Earnings release dated April 17, 2002
- 99.2 Press release announcing quarterly cash dividend dated April 17, 2002