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Form 8-K April 29, 2003

> 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 29, 2003

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-31565 06-1377322 -----_____ (State or other jurisdiction of $\mbox{Commission File Number}$ (I.R.S. Employer

incorporation or organization)

Identification No.)

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

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 1. Changes in Control of Registrant Not applicable.

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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. Item 5. Other Events Not applicable. 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 an exhibit is a news release announcing that the Company's Bifurcated Option Note Unit SecuritiESSM (BONUSESSM units) have been approved for listing on the New York Stock Exchange. The units will begin trading on the NYSE on Monday, May 5, 2003. Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year _____ Not applicable. Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure On April 29, 2003, New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a news release announcing that its BONUSES units had been approved for listing on the New York Stock Exchange and would begin trading on Monday, May 5, 2003 under the symbol "NYB PrU". Item 10. Amendments to the Registrant's Code of Ethics, or Waiver of a Provision of the Code of Ethics Not applicable. Item 11. Temporary Suspension of Trading Under Registrant's Employee Benefit

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Not applicable.

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition
----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 29, 2003 ------Date NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

/s/ Joseph R. Ficalora

Joseph R. Ficalora President and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 News release issued on April 29, 2003 announcing that the Company's BONUSES units had been approved for listing on the New York Stock Exchange and would begin trading under the symbol "NYB PrU" on May 5, 2003.