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## NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP INC

Form 8-K November 14, 2002

organization)

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): November 13, 2002

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-22278 06-1377322

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

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

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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.

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 the Company's news release announcing that its Board of Directors had authorized the repurchase of up to 5.0 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock and that share repurchases would commence upon completion of the share repurchase authorized by the Board on February 19, 2002, subject to market conditions and the implementation of other corporate strategies.
- Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year

Not applicable.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On November 13, 2002, the Company announced that its Board of Directors had authorized the repurchase of up to an additional 5.0 million shares of the Company's outstanding common stock. Share repurchases are to commence upon completion of the share repurchase authorized by the Board on February 19, 2002, subject to market conditions and the implementation of other corporate strategies.

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SIGNATURE

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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.

November 13, 2002

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

Date

/s/ Joseph R. Ficalora

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Joseph R. Ficalora

President and Chief Executive Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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99.1 Company news release dated November 13, 2002.

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