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1. Name and Ad Santoro R		rting Person *	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BRIDGE BANCORP INC [BDGE]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	(Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2009	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
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(Street)			(C		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group				
BRIDGEHA	MPTON,Â	NYÂ 11932	X Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below			her	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Securi (Instr. 4)	ty		2. Amount of S Beneficially Ov (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Natu Owner (Instr. :	•				
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and		3. Title and Amount of		4.	5.	Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
					or Exercise Price of	Form of Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)				
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	
						(I)	

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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BRIDGEHAMPTON, NYÂ 11932

Signatures

/s/ Rudolph J. 06/25/2009 Santoro

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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