

DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BERGAMO ANTHONY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC [DCOM]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
209 HAVEMEYER STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/29/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

BROOKLYN, NY 11211
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/29/2016	04/29/2016	A		2,761	A	\$ 18.11	2,761	I	Restricted Stock Awards
Restricted Stock Award	05/01/2016	05/01/2016	J		3,141 (1)	D	\$ 18.11	0	I	Restricted Stock Award
Common Stock	05/01/2016	05/01/2016	J		3,141 (1)	A	\$ 18.11	150,922	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	X		4,077	A	\$ 12.75	154,999	D	
	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	S		4,077	D		150,922	D	

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Common Stock						\$ 18.0236			
Common Stock	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	X	2,444	A	\$ 13.86	153,366	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	S	2,444	D	\$ 18.0352	150,922	D	
Common Stock							1,344	I	Wife
Restricted Stock Award							0	D	
Restricted Stock Award ⁽²⁾							0	D	
Restricted Stock Award							0	I	Restricted Stock Award

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.75	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	X	4,077	05/01/2011 ⁽³⁾	04/30/2020	Common Stock	4,077
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.86	05/02/2016	05/02/2016	X	2,444	05/01/2013	04/30/2022	Common Stock	2,444

Buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BERGAMO ANTHONY 209 HAVEMEYER STREET BROOKLYN, NY 11211	X			

Signatures

/s/ ANTHONY BERGAMO	05/03/2016
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**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
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Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
 - ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Vesting of stock award shares on May 1, 2016.
 - (2) Shares vest on or about May 1, 2011.
 - (3) Awards fully vest on or about May 1, 2011.

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