

UNITY BANCORP INC /NJ/  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
HUGHES JAMES A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNITY BANCORP INC /NJ/  
[UNTY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/03/2017

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

UNTIY BANK, 64 OLD HWY 22  
(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CLINTON, NJ 08809

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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		
Restricted Stock	03/03/2017		A		8,000 (1) 16.75 (2)		D
					\$ 113,145 (3)		

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)**

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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
Stock Options	(4)			Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable (4) Expiration Date (4)	Common Stock (4)	

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUGHES JAMES A UNTIY BANK 64 OLD HWY 22 CLINTON, NJ 08809	X		President/CEO	

### Signatures

James A. Hughes, POA Laurie Cook,  
 Contoller/SVP 03/07/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

### 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) 8,000 restricted shares were granted effective 3/3/17 and issued from the 2013 Stock Bonus Plan; vesting commences with 2,000 shares on 3/3/18; 2,000 shares on 3/3/19; 2,000 shares on 3/3/20; and 2,000 shares on 3/3/21.
- (2) Stock price at the close of business on 3/2/17.
- (3) 113,145 shares consisting of 15,119 shares of unvested stock; 7,597 shares in 401K plan; 17,427 shares in brokerage account; & 73,002 held in an account at Computershare.
- (4) 44,550 stock options were granted to Mr. Hughes of which 29,883 are currently exercisable.

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