

Patel Raj
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FORM 4

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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 *
Patel Raj

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)
C/O UNITY BANK, 64 OLD
HIGHWAY 22

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/02/2018

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

CLINTON, NJ 08809

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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	01/02/2018		A		750 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 19.75 ₍₂₎
Common Stock							28,923 ⁽⁴⁾

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)

Table with 8 columns: 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. Amount or Number of Shares. Row 1: Stock Option, \$ 19.75, 01/02/2018, A, 3,200 (5), 01/02/2019, 01/02/2028, Common Stock, 3,200.

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Row 1: Patel Raj, C/O UNITY BANK, 64 OLD HIGHWAY 22, CLINTON, NJ 08809, X under 10% Owner.

Signatures

Raj Patel, poa Laurie Cook, Controller/SVP, 01/04/2018. **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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(1) 750 restricted shares were granted on 1/2/18 from the 2013 Stock Bonus Plan and vest over four years; vesting commences with 187 shares on 1/2/19; 188 shares on 1/2/20; 187 shares on 1/2/21; and 188 shares on 1/2/22.
(2) Stock price at the close of business on 12/29/17.
(3) 3,630 restricted stock shares are currently held in an account at Computershare, which have upcoming vesting dates.
(4) 28,923 shares are held in a brokerage account in the name of Mr. Patel.
(5) 3,200 stock options were granted on 1/2/18, which vest 1/3 per year; i.e., 1,067 on 1/2/19; 1,066 on 1/2/20; and 1,067 on 1/2/21.
(6) 9,100 stock options were granted under various dates and vesting periods of which 1,967 are currently exercisable.

Remarks:

Total Beneficial Ownership: 34,520

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