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NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP INC
Form 8-K
March 16, 2007

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): March 15, 2007

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-31565	06-1377322
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	Commission File Number	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

615 Merrick Avenue, Westbury, New York 11590
(Address of principal executive offices)

(516) 683-4100
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On March 15, 2007, New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that its commercial bank subsidiary, New York Commercial Bank (the "Commercial Bank"), and Doral Bank, FSB ("Doral"), the New York City-based subsidiary of Doral Financial Corporation, have signed a definitive purchase and assumption agreement, pursuant to which the Commercial Bank will acquire 11 New York City-based branches, as well as certain assets and liabilities, from Doral. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (d) Attached as Exhibit 99.1 is the press release issued by the Company on March 15, 2007 to announce the proposed acquisition of 11 New York City-based branches and certain assets and liabilities from Doral.

SIGNATURE

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.

Date: March 15, 2007

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

/s/ Ilene A. Angarola

Ilene A. Angarola
First Senior Vice President
and Director, Investor Relations

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit 99.1 Press release issued by the Company on March 15, 2007.