Brooslin Viviano Sandra Form 4 December 30, 2009

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Brooslin Viviano Sandra			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			New York & Company, Inc. [NWY]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
450 W. 33RD STREET, 5TH			12/30/2009	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
FLOOR				below) below) EVP, Human Resources		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NEW VODE	NV 10001		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
NEW YORK, NY 10001				Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially (D) of	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
			Code V	or Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/30/2009		G	2,500 D <u>(1)</u>	225,825	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 3.94					(2)	12/01/2019	Common Stock	75,000
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 4.74					(3)	03/19/2018	Common Stock	20,000
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 3.28					<u>(4)</u>	03/21/2017	Common Stock	7,756
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 3.28					(5)	03/15/2016	Common Stock	5,303
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.11					<u>(6)</u>	04/02/2013	Common Stock	21,048

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Brooslin Viviano Sandra 450 W. 33RD STREET 5TH FLOOR			EVP, Human Resources			

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Sandra Brooslin Viviano

12/30/2009

\*\*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) On December 30, 2009, the reporting person made a gift of 2,500 shares of common stock to a public charity.
- The options become exercisable in four annual installments on the following dates: 18,750 shares on December 1, 2010; 18,750 shares on December 1, 2011; 18,750 shares on December 1, 2012; and 18,750 shares on December 1, 2013.
- (3) The options become exercisable in four annual installments on the following dates: 5,000 shares on March 19, 2009; 5,000 shares on March 19, 2010; 5,000 shares on March 19, 2011; and 5,000 shares on March 19, 2012.
- (4) The options become exercisable on the following dates: 5,817 shares on June 29, 2011 and 1,939 shares on March 21, 2012.
- (5) The options become exercisable on June 29, 2011.
- (6) The options to purchase common stock are currently exercisable.

#### **Remarks:**

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