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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement New York & Company, Inc. [NWY] Bradley Faeth (Month/Day/Year) 01/13/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 450 WEST 33RD ST - 5TH (Check all applicable) **FLOOR** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting EVP, Human Resources Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10001 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 100,000 (1) D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security: Title Direct (D) Security

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Appreciation Rights	(2)	12/27/2021	Common Stock	100,000	\$ 2.77	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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Bradley Faeth 450 WEST 33RD ST - 5TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10001	Â	Â	EVP, Human Resources	Â	

Signatures

Sheamus Toal, attorney in fact /s/ Sheamus Toal 01/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- On December 27, 2011, the reporting person was awarded 100,000 shares of restricted stock which are scheduled to vest in four annual installments on the following dates: 25,000 shares on December 27, 2012; 25,000 shares on December 27, 2013; 25,000 shares on December 27, 2014; and 25,000 shares on December 27, 2015.
- On December 27, 2011, the reporting person was awarded stock appreciation rights (SARs) which are scheduled to vest in four annual installments on the following dates: 25,000 SARs on December 27, 2012; 25,000 SARs on December 27, 2013; 25,000 SARs on December 27, 2014; and 25,000 SARs on December 27, 2015.

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Remarks:

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