DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC

Form 4 May 03, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Volino Robert

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

(Middle)

DIME COMMUNITY BANCSHARES INC [DCOM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2016

209 HAVEMEYER STREET

(First)

(Street)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

BROOKLYN, NY 11211

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)		
Restricted Stock Award	04/29/2016	04/29/2016	A	3,976	A	\$ 18.11	14,338	I	Unvested Restricted Stock Awards		
Restricted Stock Award	05/01/2016	05/01/2016	J	4,224 (1)	D	\$ 18.11	10,114	I	Unvested Restricted Stock Awards		
Common Stock	05/01/2016	05/01/2016	J	4,224 (1)	A	\$ 18.11	4,224	D			
							34,175	I	401(k) Plan		

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Common Stock

Benefit Common 816 Ι Maintenance Stock Plan Employee Common Stock 10,639 Ι Stock Ownership Plan

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)

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivatives Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	le and ant of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Volino Robert 209 HAVEMEYER STREET **BROOKLYN, NY 11211**

Executive Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Robert 05/03/2016 Volino

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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) Vesting of stock award shares on May 1, 2016.

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