

NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST INC
Form 4
January 10, 2012

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JMP Group Inc.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST
INC [NYMT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

600 MONTGOMERY
STREET, SUITE 1100

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/06/2011

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)
See footnote 1

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock ⁽²⁾					589,585 ⁽¹⁾	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. 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JMP Group Inc. 600 MONTGOMERY STREET SUITE 1100 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				See footnote 1

Signatures

Janet L Tarkoff, Chief Legal
Officer 01/10/2012

**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 6, 2011, the Company closed an issuance of an additional 2,400,000 shares of its common stock and on December 16, 2011, the Company closed an issuance of an additional 360,000 shares of its common stock for a total of 13,938,273 shares of common stock issued and outstanding. The Reporting Person is not a 10% owner of the Company's common stock and not otherwise an "affiliate" of the Company nor subject to reporting requirements.
- (2) JMP Group Inc. disclaims "group" status with any other holder, including but not limited to JMP Securities LLC and Harvest Capital Strategies LLC.

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