Bock David R			
Form 3			
January 26, 2012			
FORM 3	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL	
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940	Expires:	January 31, 2005	
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Bock David R		Statement (Month/Day/Year)	² 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST INC [NYMT]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/18/2012	4. Relationsh Person(s) to I	ip of Reporting ssuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
C/O NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST, INC., 52 VANDERBILT AVENUE (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10017			X Directo Officer	(Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti		neficially Owned
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount Beneficial (Instr. 4)	of Securities ly Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Natu Owner (Instr.	•
Common Sto	ock		2,000		D	Â	
Reminder: Repo owned directly o	or indirectly. Persor inform require	ns who res ation conta ed to respo	ach class of securities benef pond to the collection of ained in this form are n and unless the form dis MB control number.	of ot	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)	

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

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

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Bock David R C/O NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST, INC. 52 VANDERBILT AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	ÂX	Â	Â	Â	
Signatures					
/s/ James V. Davidson, as 01, attorney-in-fact	/26/2012				
**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).

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Remarks:

Exhibit 24.1 Power of Attorney

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