**ONEIDA LTD** Form 4 October 17, 2005

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

ONEIDA LTD [ONEI]

(Check all applicable)

**BANK OF AMERICA** CORPORATE CENTER, 100 N

**TRYON ST** 

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

10/13/2005

Director X\_\_ 10% Owner Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

below)

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

(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. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of	` ′	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)		
Common Stock	10/13/2005		S	12,500	D	\$ 1.6468	3,742,257	I	see footnote		
Common stock	10/14/2005		S	12,500	D	\$ 1.6382	3,729,757	I	see footnote		
Common Stock	10/17/2005		S	22,250	D	\$ 1.5535	3,707,507	I	see footnote		
Common	10/13/2005		S	12,500	D	\$	1,752,903	I	see		

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Stock				1.6468			footnote $\underline{(3)}$
Common Stock	10/14/2005	S	12,500 D	\$ 1.6382	1,740,403	I	see footnote (3)
Common Stock	10/17/2005	S	22,250 D	\$ 1.5535	1,718,153	I	see footnote $(3)$
Common Stock					2,700	I	see footnote

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amo	unt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	C	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8) I	Derivative	•		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				S	Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)	
	Security				A	Acquired					
	•				(	(A) or					
					I	Disposed					
					C	of (D)					
					(	Instr. 3,					
					4	4, and 5)					
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration		or	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
							Excreisable	Bute		of	
				Code	V (	(A) (D)				Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BANK OF AMERICA CORP/DE/ BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER 100 N TRYON ST CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X				
BANK OF AMERICA NA 100 N. TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X				

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X

BANC OF AMERICA STRATEGIC SOLUTIONS INC 100 NORTH TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

### **Signatures**

/s/ Charles F. Bowman, SVP, Bank of America Corporation 10/17/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Charles F. Bowman, SVP, Bank of America, N.A. 10/17/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Jason C. Cipriani, VP, Banc of America Strategic 10/17/2005

Solutions, Inc.

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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These securities are owned by Bank of america, N.A. and were acquired as part of the financial restructuring of the Issuer's outstanding indebtedness. These securities may be deemed to be indirectly owned by NB Holdings Corporation, the 100% owner of Bank of America,

(1) N.A., and by Bank of America Corporation and NB Holdings Corporation disclaim beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein. Prior to June 13, 2005, a portion of these securities were held by Fleet National Bank, which merged with and into Bank of America, N.A. on such date.

These securities are owned by Banc of America Securities LLC. These securities may be deemed to be indirectly owned by NationsBank Montgomery Holdings Corporation, the 100% owner of Banc of America Securities LLC, NB Holdings Corporation, the 100% owner of

(2) NationsBank Montgomery Holdings Corporation and Bank of America Corporation, the 100% owner of NB Holdings Corporation. NationsBank Montgomery Holdings Corporation, NB Holdings Corporation and Bank of America Corporation disclaim beneficial ownership except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

These securities are owned by Banc of America Strategic Solutions, Inc. and were acquired as part of the financial restructuring of the Issuer's outstanding indebtedness. These securities may be deemed to be indirectly owned by Bank of America, N.A., the owner of Banc

(3) of America Strategic Solutions, Inc., by NB Holdings Corporation, the 100% owner of Bank of America, N.A., and by Bank of America Corporation, the 100% owner of NB Holdings Corporation. Bank of America, N.A., Bank of America Corporation and NB Holdings Corporation disclaim beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

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