NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Harvest Capital Strategies LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST

INC [NYMT]

(Month/Day/Year)

10/07/2010

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

Officer (give title below)

X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

600 MONTGOMERY STREET, SUITE 2000

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially 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 on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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)
Common Stock	10/12/2010		P	4,000	A	\$ 6.28	174,100	I	See Footnoe 1 (1)
Common Stock	10/11/2010		P	800	A	\$ 6.49	170,100	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	10/08/2010		P	77,800	A	\$ 6.49	169,300	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	10/07/2010		P	9,000	A	\$ 6.41	91,500	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock							10,952 (2)	I	By Harvest Mortgage

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Opporuntiy Partners, L.P. (3)

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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.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	Ç
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	1
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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					Disposed						7
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable Date		Title Number			
						Lacicisable	Duic	of	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationshi	ns

Harvest Capital Strategies LLC 600 MONTGOMERY STREET SUITE 2000 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

X

Signatures

Janet L. Tarkoff, Chief Legal
Officer
10/12/2010

**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) The Reporting Person has investment control over these securities pursuant to an Investment Management Agreement with JMP Securities LLC, the beneficial owner of such securities. This report shall not be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial

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owner for purposes of Section 16 or any other purposes.

- (2) Harvest Mortgage Opportunity Partners, L.P. acquired 21,903 shares of common stock in the open market and subsequently, on May 27, 2008, the Issuer effected a one-for-two reverse stock split of its Common Stock.
- The Reporting Person has investment control over these securities as investment advisor to this entity, but disclaims beneficial ownership (3) of these securities and this report shall not be an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner for purposes of Section 16 or any other purposes.

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