

ONEIDA LTD  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BANK OF AMERICA  
CORPORATE CENTER, 100 N  
TRYON ST

(Street)

CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ONEIDA LTD [ONEI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/06/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

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

\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					1,503,395	I	see footnote (1)
Common Stock					2,251,362	I	see footnote (2)
Common Stock					1,765,405	I	see footnote (3)
Common	04/06/2005		P	25,000 A \$	2,700	I	see

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Stock					2.63			footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/06/2005	P	25,000	A	\$ 2.74	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/06/2005	P	5,000	A	\$ 2.8	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/07/2005	P	2,500	A	\$ 2.79	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/07/2005	P	15,000	A	\$ 2.8	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/07/2005	P	25,000	A	\$ 2.84	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/07/2005	P	6,000	A	\$ 2.88	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/07/2005	P	52,500	A	\$ 2.9	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/08/2005	P	25,000	A	\$ 2.9	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/08/2005	P	30,000	A	\$ 2.91	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/08/2005	P	200,000	A	\$ 2.95	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/08/2005	P	78,000	A	\$ 2.95	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/13/2005	P	45,000	A	\$ 2.9	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/13/2005	P	15,000	A	\$ 2.85	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/13/2005	P	11,300	A	\$ 2.81	2,700	I	see footnote (4)

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Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	46,100	A	\$ 2.82	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	10,000	A	\$ 2.69	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	10,000	A	\$ 2.73	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	7,700	A	\$ 2.74	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	5,000	A	\$ 2.8	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/19/2005		P	2,500	A	\$ 2.76	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/21/2005		P	45,000	A	\$ 2.9	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/21/2005		P	5,000	A	\$ 2.85	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/22/2005		P	50,000	A	\$ 2.9	2,700	I	see footnote (4)
Common Stock	04/25/2005		P	257,600	A	\$ 3.05	2,700	I	see footnote (4)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or	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
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(Instr. 3,  
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Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
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## 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		
Fleet National Bank 100 FEDERAL STREET BOSTON, MA 02110		X		
BANC OF AMERICA STRATEGIC SOLUTIONS INC 100 NORTH TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Charles F. Bowman, Senior Vice President, Bank of America Corporation 04/25/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Charles F. Bowman, Senior Vice President, Bank of America, N.A. 04/25/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Charles F. Bowman, Senior Vice President, Fleet National Bank 04/25/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Eric S. Woodward, Principal, Banc of America Strategic Solutions, Inc. 04/25/2005

\_\_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) 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, N.A., and by Bank of America Corporation, the 100% owner of NB Holdings Corporation. Bank of America Corporation and NB

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- (2) These securities are owned by Fleet National Bank 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 Corporation by virtue of Bank of America Corporation's 100% ownership of Fleet National Bank. Bank of America Corporation disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

- (3) 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 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.

- (4) 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 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.

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