

NEW YORK MORTGAGE TRUST INC  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

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 2000  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/17/2010

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

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

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

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

(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. 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)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	12/21/2010		P	90,400	A	\$ 6.78	808,437	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	12/20/2010		P	80,900	A	\$ 6.75	718,037	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	12/17/2010		P	19,000	A	\$ 6.73	637,137	I	See Footnote 1 (1)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

