

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP
Form 4
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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 *
SHEAHAN DENIS K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
INDEPENDENT BANK CORP
[INDB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/12/2015

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Operating Officer

C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP, 288 UNION STREET

(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
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ROCKLAND, MA 02370

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|------------------------|---|---------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2015 | | A | | 3,200 (1) | A | \$ 0 | 51,880.5099 (2) (3) | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/14/2015 | | F | | 385 | D | \$ 40.12 | 51,495.5099 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2015 | | F | | 385 | D | \$ 40.12 | 51,110.5099 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2015 | | F | | 271 | D | \$ 40.555 | 50,839.5099 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 2,018.1238 (5) | I | By Filer f/b/o Sons |

Common Stock 1,011.4104 ⁽⁶⁾ I ₍₇₎ by Filer f/b/o daughter

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 Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SHEAHAN DENIS K C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370 | | | Chief Operating Officer | |

Signatures

Sarah E. Hutchings, Power of Attorney for Denis K. Sheahan 02/17/2015

__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) Independent Bank Corp. awarded Time Vesting Restricted Stock to reporting person
- (2) Holdings include 145.3037 shares acquired as a result of participation in the 2014 Independent Bank Corp. Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan since the last Form 4 filing (10/23/14). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16

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of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

- (3) Total Holdings include 10,714.8728 shares held in Filer's 401(k) account

Shares held in Filer's name f/b/o sons. Holdings include 12.5286 shares received pursuant to the Independent Bank Corp. 2014 Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan since the last Form 4 filing (10/23/14). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, the beneficial owner of such securities.

- (5) Total shares were understated on the last Form 4 filing due to the inadvertent omission of the 27.2602 shares resulting from dividend reinvestment.

Shares held in Filer's name f/b/o Daughter. Holdings include 6.2789 shares received pursuant to the Independent Bank Corp. 2014 Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan since the last Form 4 filing (10/23/14). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, the beneficial owner of such securities.

- (7) Total shares were understated on the last Form 4 filing due to the inadvertent omission of the 13.6618 shares resulting from dividend reinvestment.

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