#### INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

Form 4

February 17, 2015

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Cozzone Robert D

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

[INDB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2015

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP., 288 UNION STREET

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

CFO and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

ROCKLAND, MA 02370

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-L	<b>Derivative</b>	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Di Owned (D) or Following Indirect (Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/12/2015		Code V	Amount 2,300 (1)	or (D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 17,997.7251 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2015		F	150	D	\$ 40.12	17,847.7251	D	
Common Stock	02/16/2015		F	150	D	\$ 40.12	17,697.7251	D	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of			Under Secur	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cozzone Robert D C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP. 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370

CFO and Treasurer

### **Signatures**

Sarah E. Hutchings, Power of Attorney for Robert D. Cozzone

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) Total Holdings include 2,525.2036 shares held in Filer's 401(k) account

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