

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP
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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 *
 JONES KEVIN J

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)
 04/22/2014

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/22/2014			P 613 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 38.5529	73,158.7083	D	
Common Stock	04/23/2014			M 1,000 A \$ 27.685	74,158.7083 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock					9,220.0831 ⁽³⁾	I	by Spouse
Common Stock					30,000 ⁽⁴⁾	I	by Son
Common Stock					5,000 ⁽⁵⁾	I	by Corporation

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undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owner of such securities.

Shares carried under the name of Filers three sons as follows: 10,000 shares held *i/n/o* Kevin J. Jones and Frances Jones, Trustees, Brian Jones Irrevocable Trust, 10,000 shares held *i/n/o* Kevin J. Jones and Frances Jones, Trustees, Mark Jones Irrevocable Trust, and 10,000

- (4) shares held *i/n/o* Kevin J. Jones and Frances Jones, Trustees, Sean Jones Irrevocable Trust The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owner of such securities held by Trusts.
- (5) The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (6) Non-Employee Director, Non-Qualified Common Stock Options expire 10 years from the grant date unless earlier terminated by reason of cessation as non-employee director.

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