INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ODDLEIFSON CHRISTOPHER			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INDEPENDENT BANK CORP [INDB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) C/O INDEPEN CORP., 288 U			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2016	_X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ROCKLAND, MA 02370				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	04/28/2016		G	4,725	D	\$0	103,052	D	
Common Stock	04/28/2016		G	575 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0	575	I	by Trust I
Common Stock	04/28/2016		G	575 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$0	575	I	by Trust II $\frac{(1)}{}$
Common Stock	04/28/2016		G	575 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$0	575	I	by Trust III (1)
Common Stock	04/29/2016		S	575	D	\$ 46.793	0	I	by Trust I

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Common Stock	04/29/2016	S	575	D	\$ 46.793 0	I	by Trust III

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsinps						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ODDLEIFSON CHRISTOPHER							
C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP.	X		President and CEO				
288 UNION STREET	Λ		riesident and CEO				
ROCKLAND, MA 02370							

Signatures

/s/ Sarah E. Hutchings, Power of Attorney for Christopher Oddleifson

05/02/2016

**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) Mr. Oddleifson made three gifts of 575 shares each for the benefit of his three children. As Mr. Oddleifson's wife is the Trustee of these trusts and the trusts are for the benefit of members of his immediate family, this form reflects the gifted shares as being transferred from

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direct ownership to indirect ownership. Mr. Oddleifson disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the filing of this report is not an admission that he is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16, or any other purpose.

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