INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

Form 4

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OMB APPROVAL UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB** 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Jensen Barry H Issuer Symbol INDEPENDENT BANK CORP (Check all applicable) [INDB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O INDEPENDENT BANK 11/21/2016 Chief Information Officer CORP., 288 UNION STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ROCKLAND, MA 02370 (State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership

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

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Following

Reported

(2)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

11,541.7238

or Indirect

(Instr. 4)

(I)

D

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Code V Amount

3,000

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(A)

(D)

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Price

64.5086

\$

(1)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jensen Barry H C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP. 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370

Chief Information Officer

Signatures

/s/ Maureen Gaffney, Power of Attorney for Barry H. Jensen

11/22/2016

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- This price represents the weighted average purchase price of stock sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$64.50 through \$64.60 (1) per share. The reporting person hereby undertakes, upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.
- Holdings include 180.5964 shares acquired as a result of participation in the Independent Bank Corp. 2014 Dividend Reinvestment and

 (2) Stock Purchase Plan since the last Form 4 filing (3/22/2016). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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