Venables Thomas R Form 4 May 22, 2013

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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obligations

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

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Venables Thomas R

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP [INDB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2013

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

ROCKLAND, MA 02370

288 UNION STREET

(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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/28/2013		Code V S	Amount 0.498 (1)	(D) D	Price \$ 15.61	(Instr. 3 and 4) 46,668	D		
Common Stock	05/20/2013		S	10,000	D	\$ 33.1761 (2)	36,668	D		
Common Stock	05/21/2013		A	1,050 (3)	A	\$ 33.165	37,718	D		
Common Stock	05/21/2013		S	11,500	D	\$ 33.0813 (4)	26,218	D		

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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)

<ol> <li>Title of</li> </ol>	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	]
	Derivative				Securities	1		(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						]
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date	11110	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) $(D)$				Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Venables Thomas R 288 UNION STREET X ROCKLAND, MA 02370

## **Signatures**

Linda M. Campion, Power of 05/22/2013 Attorney

\*\*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).

Deletionships

- (1) The Company believes another fractional share may have been sold at an indeterminate date.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.16 to \$33.25, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, and security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth this footnote.
- (3) Independent Bank Corp. awarded restricted stock to reporting person.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.00 to \$33.21, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, and security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the

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Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

#### **Remarks:**

Note: Also see attached Exhibit EX-24 Attachment 0 Power of Attorney.

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