

Jensen Barry H
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Jensen Barry H

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)
 02/10/2011

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Principal Accounting Officer

INDEPENDENT BANK
 CORP., 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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/10/2011		A	2,000 A \$ 0	8,200.337 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	02/11/2011		F	303 D \$ 27.575	7,897.337	D	
Common Stock					1,161.758	I	401(K) Plan
Common Stock					4,932.836 ⁽²⁾	I	by spouse

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 27.575	02/10/2011		A	2,500	02/10/2012 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2021	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Jensen Barry H INDEPENDENT BANK CORP. 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370			Principal Accounting Officer	

Signatures

Linda M. Campion, Power of Attorney for Barry H. Jensen
02/14/2011

__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) Restricted Stock Awarded by Company to Filer.
- (2) Holdings include 70,836 shares acquired through the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan since the last Form 4 filing (9/10). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act.
Granted under the Independent Bank Corp. 2005 Employee Stock Plan ("2005 Plan"). 834 shares shall first become exercisable on 2/10/12, 833 shares shall first become exercisable on 2/10/13, and 833 shares shall first become exercisable on 2/10/14. the Options will expire ten years from the date of grant on 2/10/21, unless earlier terminated in accordance with the Stock Option Plan.
- (3)

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