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| (Print or Type Responses) | | | | |
| Bojdak Robert J Symbol Issuer M&T BANK CORP [MTB] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) Director ONE FOUNTAIN PLAZA 03/09/2012 Director | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, o | 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(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities 6. Securities (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) 0wned (Instr. 8) 6. Securities (A) or (A) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) | | | |
| Code v Amount (D) Price | D | | | |
| Common \$ | D | | | |
| Common 1,871 I Stock | I $\frac{401 \text{ (k)}}{\text{Plan } \frac{(3)}{2}}$ | | | |

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) | 4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) ntive ties red sed 3, | | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Phantom Common Stock Units | <u>(4)</u> | | | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | <u>(4)</u> | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Bojdak Robert J ONE FOUNTAIN PLAZA BUFFALO, NY 14203-1495 | | | Executive Vice President | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| By: Brian R. Yoshida, Esq. (Attorney-In-Fact) | | | 03/13/2012 | | | | |
| ** Signature of Reporting Perso | n | | Date | | | | |

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- * 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).

The reported transaction involves an award of fully vested restricted stock issued under the M&T Bank Corporation 2009 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan and represents a portion of the reporting person's salary. The restricted stock will be subject to restrictions

- (1) on transfer such that each executive may not sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any of the shares received as stock salary until the earlier of (a) the date that M&T Bank Corporation repays Treasury's Capital Purchase Program investment made under the Troubled Asset Relief Program, or (b) January 1, 2014.
- (2) The restricted stock was granted under an equity incentive compensation plan maintained by M&T Bank Corporation, and therefore the reporting person paid no price for the restricted stock.
- (3) The information presented is as of February 29, 2012.

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The reported phantom common stock units are held by the reporting person in an excess benefit plan account maintained by M&T Bank

(4) Corporation and represent a like number of shares of M&T Bank Corporation common stock. The phantom common stock units may only be settled in cash and distributed in accordance with the terms of the plan. The reported phantom common stock units also include units acquired through the dividend reinvestment feature of the plan.

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