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Form N-Q  
May 11, 2005

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED  
MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-08266  
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The India Fund, Inc.  
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(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

200 Park Avenue  
New York, NY 10166  
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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP  
425 Lexington Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
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(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-667-4939  
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Date of fiscal year end: December 31  
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Date of reporting period: March 31, 2005  
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ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

The Schedule of Investments is attached herewith.

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

INDIA (100% OF HOLDINGS)

| NUMBER<br>OF SHARES                | SECURITY                         | PERCENT OF<br>HOLDINGS | COST  |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| COMMON STOCKS (97.00% of holdings) |                                  |                        |       |
|                                    | CEMENT                           | 1.24%                  |       |
| 80,000                             | Associated Cement Companies Ltd  |                        | \$ 69 |
| 801,824                            | Gujarat Ambuja Cements Ltd       |                        | 6,41  |
| 299,124                            | Ultratech Cement Ltd             |                        | 1,69  |
|                                    |                                  |                        | 8,80  |
|                                    | CHEMICALS                        | 0.41%                  |       |
| 1,001,900                          | Tata Chemicals Ltd               |                        | 3,68  |
|                                    | COMPUTER HARDWARE                | 1.07%                  |       |
| 371,900                            | HCL Infosystems Ltd              |                        | 6,01  |
| 788,150                            | NIIT Technologies+               |                        | 2,59  |
|                                    | COMPUTER SOFTWARE & PROGRAMMING  | 16.52%                 |       |
| 954,360                            | Geodesic Information Systems Ltd |                        | 45    |
| 259,250                            | I-Flex Solutions Ltd             |                        | 3,76  |
| 1,776,128                          | Infosys Technologies Ltd         |                        | 28,93 |
| 23,804                             | Infotech Enterprises Ltd.        |                        | 12    |
| 391,564                            | KPIT Cummins Infosystems Ltd     |                        | 1,41  |
| 723,500                            | Pantni Computer Systems Ltd      |                        | 5,87  |
| 2,482,495                          | Satyam Computer Services Ltd     |                        | 13,74 |
| 732,150                            | Wipro Ltd                        |                        | 7,98  |
|                                    |                                  |                        | 62,29 |
|                                    | COMPUTER TRAINING                | 0.12%                  |       |
| 248,100                            | NIIT Ltd                         |                        | 81    |
|                                    | CONSULTING SERVICES              | 1.19%                  |       |
| 310,794                            | Tata Consultancy Services        |                        | 8,07  |
|                                    | CONSUMER NON-DURABLES            | 6.28%                  |       |
| 393,000                            | Dabur India Ltd                  |                        | 99    |
| 3,589,401                          | Hindustan Lever Ltd              |                        | 14,22 |
| 1,367,845                          | ITC Ltd                          |                        | 29,17 |
|                                    |                                  |                        | 44,38 |

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|           |                                 |       |       |
|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
|           | DIVERSIFIED INDUSTRIES          | 9.50% |       |
| 496,532   | Grasim Industries Ltd           |       | 4,38  |
| 578,000   | Lakshmi Overseas Industries Ltd |       | 2,20  |
| 5,084,493 | Reliance Industries Ltd         |       | 46,03 |
| 351,897   | Zen Technologies Ltd            |       | 1,36  |
|           |                                 |       | 53,98 |

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

| NUMBER<br>OF SHARES       | SECURITY                               | PERCENT OF<br>HOLDINGS | COST    |
|---------------------------|--|------------------------|---------|
| COMMON STOCKS (continued) |  |                        |         |
|                           | ELECTRICITY                            | 0.62%                  |         |
| 2,695,800                 | National Thermal Power Corporation Ltd |                        | \$ 3,65 |
|                           |  |                        | 3,65    |
|                           | ELECTRONICS & ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT     | 6.60%                  |         |
| 624,372                   | Bharat Electronics Ltd                 |                        | 6,67    |
| 1,838,062                 | Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd           |                        | 15,63   |
| 501,392                   | Jyoti Structures Ltd                   |                        | 75      |
| 435,750                   | Salora International Ltd               |                        | 1,83    |
| 169,502                   | Siemens India Ltd                      |                        | 3,85    |
| 296,353                   | Sterlite Industries (India) Ltd        |                        | 4,57    |
|                           |  |                        | 33,34   |
|                           | ENGINEERING                            | 5.34%                  |         |
| 263,049                   | ABB Ltd                                |                        | 3,10    |
| 1,059,500                 | Bharat Earth Movers Ltd                |                        | 7,19    |
| 751,142                   | Gammon India Ltd                       |                        | 1,51    |
| 380,004                   | Hindustan Construction Ltd             |                        | 3,01    |
| 1,794,102                 | Jaiprakash Associates Ltd              |                        | 5,66    |
| 306,636                   | Larsen & Toubro Ltd                    |                        | 3,68    |
| 525,658                   | Thermax India Ltd                      |                        | 1,82    |
|                           |  |                        | 26,00   |
|                           | EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRIES                  | 7.41%                  |         |
| 603,205                   | Hindalco Industries Ltd                |                        | 12,43   |
| 2,092,641                 | Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Ltd    |                        | 35,15   |
| 202,850                   | Sesa Goa Ltd                           |                        | 3,51    |
|                           |  |                        | 51,10   |
|                           | FERTILIZERS                            | 0.13%                  |         |

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|           |   |        |       |
|-----------|---|--------|-------|
| 440,560   | Indo Gulf Fertilizers Ltd                   |        | 53    |
|           |   |        | ----- |
|           |   |        | 53    |
|           |   |        | ----- |
|           | FINANCE                                     | 16.32% |       |
| 4,389,000 | Centurion Bank Ltd                          |        | 45    |
| 509,935   | Corporation Bank                            |        | 3,37  |
| 2,449,208 | HDFC Bank Ltd                               |        | 19,38 |
| 1,776,420 | Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd |        | 16,80 |
| 1,949,171 | ICICI Bank Ltd                              |        | 6,09  |
| 439,676   | Jammu and Kashmir Bank Ltd                  |        | 3,26  |
| 738,800   | LIC Housing Finance Ltd                     |        | 3,98  |
| 181,000   | Oriental Bank of Commerce                   |        | 1,55  |
| 255,996   | Punjab National Bank Ltd                    |        | 2,28  |
| 1,759,133 | State Bank of India                         |        | 7,68  |
| 45,550    | State Bank of India GDR                     |        | 52    |
| 1,221,550 | UTI Bank Ltd                                |        | 6,32  |
| 500,000   | UTI Bank Ltd GDR*                           |        | 2,95  |
| 5,039,805 | Vijaya Bank                                 |        | 7,34  |
|           |   |        | ----- |
|           |   |        | 82,05 |
|           |   |        | ----- |

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| NUMBER<br>OF SHARES       | SECURITY                         | PERCENT OF<br>HOLDINGS | COST    |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| -----                     |                                  |                        |         |
| COMMON STOCKS (continued) |                                  |                        |         |
|                           | FOOD                             | 0.23%                  |         |
| 628,500                   | Dhampur Sugar Mills Ltd          |                        | \$ 1,99 |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           |                                  |                        | 1,99    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           | HOTELS & LEISURE                 | 0.65%                  |         |
| 797,157                   | Hotel Leelaventure Ltd           |                        | 75      |
| 192,750                   | Indian Hotels Company Ltd        |                        | 2,60    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           |                                  |                        | 3,36    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           | HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES             | 0.23%                  |         |
| 385,893                   | Voltas Ltd                       |                        | 1,05    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           |                                  |                        | 1,05    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           | MEDIA                            | 0.20%                  |         |
| 397,900                   | Balaji Telefilms Ltd             |                        | 85      |
| 749,500                   | Pritish Nandy Communications Ltd |                        | 1,87    |
|                           |                                  |                        | -----   |
|                           |                                  |                        | 2,72    |

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|           |  |       |       |
|-----------|--|-------|-------|
|           | PETROLEUM RELATED                        | 2.63% |       |
| 3         | Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd         |       |       |
| 350,000   | Bongaigaon Refinery & Petrochemicals Ltd |       | 65    |
| 670,578   | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd      |       | 4,06  |
| 1,392,240 | Indian Oil Corporation Ltd               |       | 6,37  |
| 61,300    | Niko Resources Ltd ADR                   |       | 1,03  |
|           |  |       | 12,12 |
|           | PHARMACEUTICALS                          | 4.13% |       |
| 437,000   | Cadila Healthcare Ltd.                   |       | 5,20  |
| 118,719   | Dishman Pharmaceuticals Ltd              |       | 1,27  |
| 1,442,500 | FDC Ltd                                  |       | 2,00  |
| 168,527   | Lupin Ltd                                |       | 2,51  |
| 1,852,980 | Matrix Laboratories Ltd                  |       | 4,29  |
| 422,463   | Ranbaxy Laboratories Ltd                 |       | 8,95  |
| 516,250   | Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd        |       | 4,51  |
| 415,800   | Wockhardt Ltd                            |       | 1,85  |
|           |  |       | 30,60 |
|           | RETAIL STORES                            | 0.42% |       |
| 837,400   | SB&T International Ltd                   |       | 1,58  |
| 132,757   | Trent Ltd                                |       | 46    |
|           |  |       | 2,05  |
|           | SHIPPING                                 | 0.33% |       |
| 900,000   | Bharati Shipyard Ltd                     |       | 3,11  |
|           |  |       | 3,11  |
|           | STEEL                                    | 4.09% |       |
| 152,575   | Jindal Stainless Ltd                     |       | 32    |
| 584,383   | Jindal Steel & Power Ltd                 |       | 14,28 |
| 411,265   | Kalyani Steels Ltd                       |       | 57    |
| 154,700   | Maharashtra Seamless Ltd                 |       | 76    |

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|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|----------|
| COMMON STOCKS (continued) |                                 |                        |          |
| STEEL (CONTINUED)         |                                 |                        |          |
| 1,993,791                 | Tata Iron and Steel Company Ltd |                        | \$ 11,85 |
|                           |                                 |                        | 27,79    |

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|            | TELECOMMUNICATIONS                         | 4.34% |        |
| 7,841,260  | Bharti Tele-Ventures Ltd                   |       | 26,30  |
| 45,000     | Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd              |       | 14     |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | 26,44  |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT               | 0.00% |        |
| 1          | Shyam Telecom Ltd                          |       |        |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | TEXTILES-COTTON                            | 1.32% |        |
| 1,924,900  | Arvind Mills Ltd+                          |       | 5,37   |
| 485,600    | Mahavir Spinning Mills Ltd                 |       | 2,25   |
| 171,326    | Sintex Industries Ltd                      |       | 50     |
| 549,567    | Welspun India Ltd+                         |       | 1,22   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | 9,36   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | TRANSPORTATION                             | 0.95% |        |
| 447,426    | Container Corporation of India Ltd         |       | 3,19   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | 3,19   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | VEHICLE COMPONENTS                         | 0.75% |        |
| 1,738,000  | Amtex Auto Ltd                             |       | 4,19   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | 4,19   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | VEHICLES                                   | 3.98% |        |
| 80,700     | Bajaj Auto Ltd                             |       | 2,03   |
| 781,237    | Hero Honda Motors Ltd                      |       | 7,96   |
| 1,124,135  | Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd                    |       | 12,28  |
| 112,200    | Tata Motors Limited ADR                    |       | 1,00   |
| 869,725    | Tata Motors Ltd                            |       | 6,86   |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | 30,15  |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | TOTAL COMMON STOCKS                        |       | 545,54 |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | PREFERRED STOCK (0.00% of holdings)        |       |        |
|            | ENGINEERING                                | 0.00% |        |
| 1,248,400  | Thermax India Ltd Preference Shares        |       |        |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | TOTAL PREFERRED STOCK                      |       |        |
|            |  |       | -----  |
|            | SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (2.86% of holdings) | 2.86% |        |
| 3,163,170  | Birla Cash Plus+                           |       | 75     |
| 46,544,552 | Deutsche Insta Cash Plus Fund+             |       | 10,96  |
| 13,510,558 | HDFC Liquid Fund+                          |       | 4,05   |
| 3,284,788  | Prudential ICICI Liquid Plan+              |       | 1,22   |

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| NUMBER<br>OF SHARES                | SECURITY   | PERCENT OF<br>HOLDINGS | COST     |
|------------------------------------|--|------------------------|----------|
| SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (continued) |  |                        |          |
| \$ 30,963,095                      | Standard Chartered Grindlays Cash Fund Growth Option + |                        | \$ 7,36  |
|                                    | TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS                           |                        | 24,35    |
| INDIAN BONDS (0.14% of holdings)   |  |                        |          |
| Par Value (000)                    |  |                        |          |
|                                    | LEISURE & HOTELS                                       | 0.14%                  |          |
| 1,000                              | Indian Hotels Indian Hotels 1.00% 02/12/09             |                        | 1,26     |
|                                    | TOTAL INDIAN BONDS                                     |                        | 1,26     |
|                                    | TOTAL INDIA  |                        | 571,15   |
|                                    | TOTAL INVESTMENTS**                                    | 100.00%                | \$571,15 |

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ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

- (a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rules 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d)) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.

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Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act and Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 are attached hereto.

### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) The India Fund, Inc.  
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By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Bryan McKigney  
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Bryan McKigney, Director, President & Chairman  
(principal executive officer)

Date May 2, 2005  
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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Bryan McKigney  
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Bryan McKigney, Director, President & Chairman  
(principal executive officer)

Date May 2, 2005  
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By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Alan Kaye  
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Alan Kaye, Treasurer  
(principal financial officer)

Date MAY 2, 2005  
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\* Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.