

SEKSAY EDWARD H

Form 4

February 22, 2011

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SEKSAY EDWARD 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)  
288 UNION STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/17/2011

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
General Counsel

ROCKLAND, MA 02370

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                     | Price                                                             |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 02/17/2011                              |                                                             | A <sup>(1)</sup>                     |                                                                            | 2,500                                                                                                              | A                                                                    | \$ 0                                                              |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                            | 13,119.498                                                                                                         | D                                                                    |                                                                   |

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)**

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount<br>Underlying Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy)     | \$ 27.425                                                             | 02/17/2011                              |                                                             | A                                       | 3,500                                                                                                           | 02/17/2012 <sup>(2)</sup><br>02/17/2021                        | Common<br>Stock                                                |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                            | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|                                                           | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| SEKSAY EDWARD H<br>288 UNION STREET<br>ROCKLAND, MA 02370 |               |           | General Counsel |       |

## Signatures

By: Tara M. Villanova, Power of Attorney For: Edward H. Seksay 02/22/2011

\_\_\_\_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) Independent Bank Corp. awarded Restricted Stock to reporting person.

Granted under the Independent Bank Corp. 2005 Employee Stock Plan ("2005 Plan"). 1,167 shares shall first become exercisable on

(2) 2/17/12, 1,167 shares shall first become exercisable on 2/17/13, and 1,166 shares shall first become exercisable on 2/17/14. The options will expire ten years from the date of grant on 02/17/21, unless earlier terminated in accordance with the Stock Option Plan.

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