

Nadeau Gerard F
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 Nadeau Gerard F

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)
 06/11/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive Vice President

ROCKLAND, MA 02370
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/11/2009		M	1,800 A \$ 12.4063	16,750.92	D	
Common Stock					166.574	I	by Daughter <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock					168.043	I	by Son <u>(2)</u>

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 Acquired (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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.4063	06/11/2009		M	1,800	06/24/2000 ⁽³⁾ 12/22/2009	Common Stock	1,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Nadeau Gerard F 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370	Director 10% Owner Officer Executive Vice President Other

Signatures

By: Jennifer M. Kingston, Power of Attorney For: Gerard F. Nadeau 06/12/2009

**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) Holdings include 6.710661 shares received pursuant to the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan since the last Form 4 filing (2/08). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act. The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (2) Total holdings include 6.769596 shares received pursuant to the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan since the last Form 4 filing (2/08). Such transactions are exempt from the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act, the beneficial owner of such securities.

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- Granted under the 1997 Plan. 1,634 shares first became exercisable on 6/24/00, 1,634 shares first became exercisable on 1/2/01, and the
- (3) remaining 1,632 shares first became exercisable on 1/2/02. The Option will expire on 12/22/09, subject to the earlier termination provisions noted above.

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