INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

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	1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SULLIVAN MAURICE H JR			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) C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP., 288 UNION STREET (Street) ROCKLAND, MA 02370				 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2016 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Form of Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)X_ Form filed by More Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Form filed Person			
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution any (Month/Da	ed Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		ties A sed of 4 and (A) or	cquired (A)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Stock	04/27/2016			S	3,000	D	47.3486 (1)	24,730	D		
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3,174

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Stock

Common Stock 14,325 I IRA (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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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								of		
				Code V	(A) (D)			Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address $\begin{array}{c} & \text{Relationships} \\ & & \\ \text{Director} & \frac{10\%}{\text{Owner}} & \text{Officer} \end{array}$

SULLIVAN MAURICE H JR C/O INDEPENDENT BANK CORP. 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370

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Signatures

/s/ Sarah E. Hutchings, Power of Attorney for Maurice H. Sullivan, Jr.

04/28/2016

Other

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- (1) This price represents the weighted average purchase price of stock sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$46.87 through \$47.59 per share. The reporting person hereby undertakes, upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide

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full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

(2) The filing of this statement should not be construed as an admission that the undersigned is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, the beneficial owner of such securities.

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