ZACHAU JOHN H JR

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZACHAU JOHN H JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol M&T BANK CORP [MTB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
ONE FOUNTAIN PLAZA			(Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2005	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP & Auditor			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BUFFALO, N	IY 14203-14	95	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Form: Direct Code Beneficially Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 01/19/2005 S 7,900 D 28,706 D 100.82 Stock Common 01/19/2005 S 100 D 28,606 D 101.08 Stock Common 40 Ι By Son (1) Stock Common Ι 40 By Son (2)Stock Common 6,000 Ι By Wife Stock

Common 401 (k) 3,915 I Stock Plan (3)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 101.8	01/18/2005		A	7,179	<u>(4)</u>	01/18/2015	Common Stock	7,179

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ZACHAU JOHN H JR ONE FOUNTAIN PLAZA BUFFALO, NY 14203-1495

Sr. VP & Auditor

Signatures

John H. Zachau, 01/20/2005 Jr.

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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).
- These shares are owned by the son of the reporting person under the Uniform Transfers to Minors Act for which the reporting person is **(1)** custodian.

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- (2) These shares are owned by the son of the reporting person under the Uniform Transfers to Minors Act for which the reporting person is custodian.
- (3) The information presented is as of December 31, 2004.
- The option granted includes a total of 7,179 shares. 717 of the covered shares are exercisable on or after January 18, 2006; an additional
- (4) 1,436 of the covered shares are exercisable on or after January 18, 2007; an additional 2,154 of the covered shares are exercisable on or after January 18, 2008; and the remaining 2,872 covered shares are exercisable on or after January 18, 2009.
- (5) The option was granted under an employee stock option plan maintained by M&T Bank Corporation, and therefore the reporting person paid no price for the option.

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