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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SULLIVAN MAURICE H JR			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			INDEPENDENT BANK CORP [INDB]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
	EPENDENT BAN 88 UNION STREI	K 10/28	•	,		below	)	below)			
	(Street)		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				
ROCKLA	ND, MA 02370						orm filed by Mo	ore than One Repor			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Nor	n-Derivative Sec	curitie	s 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities AcorDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and	)	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(Instr. 3 and				
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Common Stock 8,275 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 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. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	Amou Under Securi	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director  $\frac{10\%}{\text{Owner}}$  Officer Other

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

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Maureen Gaffney, Power of Attorney for Maurice H. Sullivan, Jr.

11/01/2016

\*\*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) This price represents the weighted average purchase price of stock sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$54.95 through \$55.10 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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