GILMORE BENJAMIN A II

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GILMORE BENJAMIN A II			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INDEPENDENT BANK CORP [INDB]	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to ssuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 288 UNION S	(First) TREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2009	_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify 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		
ROCKLAND, MA 02370				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/28/2009		M	1,000	A	\$ 11.5	12,088.89	D	
Common Stock	05/28/2009		M	1,000	A	\$ 15.1	13,088.89	D	
Common Stock							659.542	I	by Spouse

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. Transactic 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 Ame Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Ar or Title No of St
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.5	05/28/2009		M	1,000	04/18/2000(1)	04/18/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.1	05/28/2009		M	1,000	04/17/2001(1)	04/17/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.325					10/15/2003(1)	04/15/2013	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.105					10/16/2002(1)	04/16/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.16					10/26/2005(1)	04/25/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.685					10/27/2004(1)	04/27/2014	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GILMORE BENJAMIN A II							
288 UNION STREET	X						
ROCKLAND, MA 02370							

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By: Linda M. Campion, Power of Attorney For: Benjamin A. Gilmore, II

05/29/2009

**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) Non-Employee Director, Non-Qualified Common Stock Options expire 10 years from the grant date unless earlier terminated by reason of cessation as non-employee director.

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