INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

Form 4

Common

Stock

11/11/2008

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UNITED STATE	S SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE (Washington, D.C. 20549	COMMISSION OMB Number: 3235-0287						
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(Print or Type Responses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** RIBEIRO CARL	2. Issuer Name and 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						
288 UNION STREET	11/11/2008	below) below)						
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check						
ROCKLAND, MA 02370	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 Acc	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
(Instr. 3) any	emed 3. 4. Securities Acquired on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) //Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported						
	(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)						
Common Stock		400 D (1)						
Common Stock		shares held in 2,454 I broker name f/b/o filer						

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A \$ 25.7 1,000

Sep/IRA held in

broker

name f/b/o Filer

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Common Stock	11/11/2008	P	1,000	A	\$ 25.32	1,000	I	ROTH IRA held in broker name f/b/o Filer
Common Stock	11/11/2008	P	182	A	\$ 25.7	1,000	I	shares held in broker name f/b/o spouse (2)
Common Stock	11/11/2008	P	1,000	A	\$ 25.32	1,000	I	Spouse's IRA held in broker name (2)
Common Stock	11/11/2008	P	91	A	\$ 25.89	500	I	shares held in broker name f/b/o son (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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.		5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ctio	nNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	str. 8) Derivative		e	Securities		(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative					Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security					Acquired					
						(A) or					
						Disposed					
						of (D)					
						(Instr. 3,					
						4, and 5)					
										A	
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration	m: d	or	
								Date		Number	
				G 1		(A) (D)				of	
				Code	V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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RIBEIRO CARL
288 UNION STREET X
ROCKLAND, MA 02370

Signatures

Linda M. Campion, Power of Attorney for Carl Ribeiro

11/12/2008

**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) Restricted Stock awarded to Filer by Independent Bank Corp.
- (2) 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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