

TRAGER SCOTT  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TRAGER SCOTT

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/[RBCAA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

601 WEST MARKET STREET

(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/24/2019

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Vice Chairman

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (A) or (D) Price   |  |   |
| Class A Common Stock            | 04/24/2019                           |  | M                              |   | 2,750 A \$ 24.47  | 172,300.639 (1)  | D   |
| Class A Common Stock            | 04/24/2019                           |  | F                              |   | 1,880 D \$ 46.05  | 170,420.639  | D   |
| Class A Common Stock            |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 37,142.957 (2)   | I By 401(k) Plan                                      |
| Class A Common                  |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 1,985.052  | I By Jaytee Properties                                |

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|----------------------|--|--|--|------------|---|--|
| Stock                |  |  |  |            |   | Limited Partnership <sup>(3)</sup>                   |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  | 18,962.307 | I | By Teebank Family Limited Partnership <sup>(4)</sup> |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  | 51,697     | I | By Trager Family Irrevocable Trust <sup>(5)</sup>    |

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. 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 24.47   | 04/24/2019                           |  | M                              | 2,750   | 04/24/2019 04/24/2020                                    | Class A Common Stock 2,750                                    |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 24.47   |                                      |  |                                |   | 04/24/2020 04/24/2021                                    | Class A Common Stock 2,750                                    |
| Class B Common Stock                       | <u>(6)</u>   |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(7)</u> <u>(8)</u>                                    | Class A Common Stock 29,488                                   |
| Class B Common                             | <u>(6)</u>   |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(7)</u> <u>(8)</u>                                    | Class A Common 1,190  |

Stock

Stock

Class B  
Common  
Stock

(6)

(7)

(8)

Class A  
Common  
Stock

444.78

Class B  
Common  
Stock

(6)

(7)

(8)

Class A  
Common  
Stock

2,486.25

Class B  
Common  
Stock

(6)

(7)

(8)

Class A  
Common  
Stock

4,107

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |               |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer       | Other |
| TRAGER SCOTT<br>601 WEST MARKET STREET<br>LOUISVILLE, KY 40202 | X             | X         | Vice Chairman |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Scott Trager

04/26/2019

\*\*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) Includes 32.957 shares acquired under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (2) Reflects additions to and changes in value of shares held under the Issuer's 401(k) plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (3) Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a limited partner.
- (4) Teebank Family Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a limited partner.
- (5) Trager Family Irrevocable Trust is a family trust of which the reporting person is a co-trustee and a beneficiary.
- (6) Conversion from Class B Common Stock to Class A Common Stock is on a one share for one share basis.
- (7) Immediate.
- (8) None.

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