INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

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04/17/2007

Stock

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SGARZI RICHARD H | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INDEPENDENT BANK CORP [INDB] | | | Issuer | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|---|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) 288 UNION | (First) N STREET | (Middle) | 3. Date of (Month/D 04/17/20 | ay/Year) | Transaction | | ve title 10% Owner Other (specify below) | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Ame Filed(Mon | | Date Original ear) | Applicable Line) | Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| ROCKLAN | ID, MA 0237 | 0 | | | | | y More than One Reporting | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tabl | e I - Non | -Derivative Securities A | Acquired, Disposed | of, or Beneficially Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of | | Date 2A. De | | 3. | 4. Securities | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership 7. Nature | | | |

| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | 3. Transaction | 4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial |
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| (IIIsu. 3) | | any (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | (A) | Following Reported | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | (A) or | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common | 04/17/2007 | | Code V | Amount (D) Pr | ice 143,746.181 | D | |

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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)

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | | 7. Title a | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | Amount Underlyi Securitie (Instr. 3 | ing es | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | or Title N of | umber | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Troporting O Water Tumber Trade | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| SGARZI RICHARD H 288 UNION STREET ROCKLAND, MA 02370 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

By: Linda M. Campion, Power of Attorney For: Richard H.
Sgarzi
04/18/2007

**Signature of 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).
- (1) Independent Bank Corp. awarded restricted stock to reporting person.
- (2) Total holdings include 800 shares of restricted stock

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