

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP /MI/  
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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 \*  
Kessel William B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INDEPENDENT BANK CORP /MI/ [IBCP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
230 WEST MAIN ST  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/30/2013

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & CEO

IONIA, MI 48846  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	08/30/2013		M		33,333	A	40,730	D	
Common Stock	08/30/2013		F		12,900	D	\$ 9.5	27,830	D
Common Stock							2,774.68	I	By ESOP

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>1</u>	08/30/2013		M	33,333.33	08/30/2013	08/30/2013	Common Stock	33,333.33

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kessel William B 230 WEST MAIN ST IONIA, MI 48846	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

s/Darcy J. Benjamin,  
Attorney-in-Fact

09/04/2013

\*\*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).

Each restricted stock unit represented a contingent right to receive 1 share of Independent Bank Corporation common stock. On August (1) 30, 2013, 33,333 of the reporting person's restricted stock units vested and were settled for an equal number of shares of Independent Bank Corporation common stock and 0.33 of the reporting person's restricted stock units were cancelled for no value.

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