

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 23, 2016

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

Current Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15 (d) of  
The Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

DATE OF REPORT:  
March 23, 2016  
(Date of Earliest Event Reported)

MASSACHUSETTS  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

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| 1-9047                   | 04-2870273                              |
| (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer identification<br>No.) |

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP.  
Office Address: 2036 Washington Street, Hanover, Massachusetts 02339  
Mailing Address: 288 Union Street, Rockland, Massachusetts 02370  
(Address of Principal Executive Officers) (Zip Code)

NOT APPLICABLE  
(Former Address of Principal Executive Offices)  
  
(Zip Code)

781-878-6100  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On March 23, 2016 executive officer Jane L. Lundquist, an Executive Vice President of Rockland Trust Company (“Rockland Trust”), the wholly-owned commercial bank subsidiary of Independent Bank Corp. (the “Company”), confirmed to Rockland Trust her intention to retire in mid- 2016.

Ms. Lundquist currently has management responsibility at Rockland Trust for retail banking, residential, home equity, and consumer lending, and for the business development efforts of business banking officers.

Ms. Lundquist will remain with Rockland Trust through the date of her retirement to assist with the choice of her successor and an orderly transition of her responsibilities.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned and hereunto duly authorized.

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP.

Date: March 23, 2016

By: /s/ Edward H. Seksay  
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