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1(b).

Common

Stock

(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.			12/13/2013					below) below) President & CEO				
		4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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(City)	Zip)	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	y (Month/Day/Year) Execute 3) any		ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/13/2013			A	70	A	\$0	28,439	D			

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	1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security or Ex (Instr. 3) Price Deri		or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	or Exercise Price of Derivative	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/Year) ve s		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kessel William B

230 WEST MAIN ST. X President & CEO

IONIA, MI 48846

Signatures

s/Darcy J. Benjamin, 12/13/2013 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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