

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP

Form 8-K

March 02, 2015

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): February 25, 2015

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts

(State or Other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

1-9047

(Commission
File Number)

04-2870273

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

Office Address: 2036 Washington Street, Hanover, Massachusetts

02339

Mailing Address: 288 Union Street, Rockland, Massachusetts

02370

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(718) 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))
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

On February 25, 2015 Denis K. Sheahan, the Chief Operating Officer of Independent Bank Corp. (the “Company”) and Rockland Trust Company (“Rockland Trust”), accepted an offer to become the Chief Executive Officer, President, and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Cambridge Trust Company in April 2015. Mr. Sheahan will remain with the Company and Rockland Trust through March or such shorter period as necessary to assist with the transition of his current responsibilities and will then formally resign from the Company and Rockland Trust.

SIGNATURE

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

INDEPENDENT BANK CORP.

February 25, 2015

By: /s/ Edward H. Seksay

Edward H. Seksay
General Counsel