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# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

VAN LOAN CHARLES C

|   |                                      |                                      |   | INDEPENDENT BANK CORP /MI/<br>[IBCP] |                 |                               |  | RP /MI/   | (Check all applicable)   |  |   |  |  |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--|---|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 230 WEST MAIN STREET        |                                      |                                      | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/14/2006 |                                      |                 |                               |  | _X_ Director<br>Officer (give<br>below)   | we title 10% Owner Other (specify below)   |  |   |  |  |  |
| (Street)  |                                      |                                      | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)        |                                      |                 |                               |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |  |   |  |  |  |
| IONIA, MI 488461655                                 |                                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  | Person  |  |  |   |  |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip) <b>Table I - Non-Derivativ</b> |                                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               | re Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |   |  |  |   |  |  |  |
|   | 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deen Execution any (Month/E         |                                      | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securior(A) or I (Instr. 3 | Oispose<br>, 4 and<br>(A)<br>or                            | d of (D)  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |  |
|   | Common<br>Stock                      | 08/14/2006                           |   |                                      | S               | 5,250<br>(1)                  | D  | \$<br>25.65   | 10,500   | I  | By Trust  |  |  |  |
|   | Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  |   | 31,093   | D  |   |  |  |  |
|   | Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  |   | 1,927  | I  | By<br>Daughter  |  |  |  |
|   | Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  |   | 36,130.38  | I  | By ESOP   |  |  |  |
|   | Common<br>Stock                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  |   | 15,750   | I  | By Trust (Spouse)   |  |  |  |
|   |                                      |                                      |   |                                      |                 |                               |  |   |  |  |   |  |  |  |

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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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and       | 7. Titl    | le and   | 8. Price of | 9 |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------------------|------------|----------|-------------|---|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | onNumber   | Expiration Da | ate               | Amou       | int of   | Derivative  | J |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/   | Year)             | Under      | lying    | Security    | , |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e             |                   | Secur      | ities    | (Instr. 5)  | ] |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |               |                   | (Instr.    | 3 and 4) |             | ( |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |               |                   |            |          |             | J |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |               |                   |            |          |             | ] |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |               |                   |            |          |             | 7 |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |               |                   |            |          |             | ( |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |               |                   |            |          |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |               |                   |            |          |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |                   |            | Amount   |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |                   |            |          |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date          | Expiration e Date | Title Numb |          |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable   |                   |            | of       |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |               |                   |            |          |             |   |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code v     | (A) (D)    |               |                   |            | Shares   |             |   |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                    | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| VAN LOAN CHARLES C<br>230 WEST MAIN STREET<br>IONIA, MI 488461655 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

By: s/Michael J. Steele, Attorney-in-Fact 08/14/2006

\*\*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).
- (1) The shares were sold pursuant to an existing 10b5-1 plan.

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