

HICKEY BRIAN E
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FORM 4

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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 *
HICKEY BRIAN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
M&T BANK CORP [MTB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
255 EAST AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/30/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President

(Street)
ROCHESTER, NY 14604-2624

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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) Code V Amount (D) Price (1) (2) (1) (3) | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/30/2009 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | 20,561 | \$ 0 | D ⁽⁴⁾ | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,527 | I | By 401(k) Plan ⁽⁵⁾ |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Table with 9 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security, 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date, 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 4. Transaction Code, 5. Number of Derivative Securities, 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, 8. Price of Derivative Security, 9. Number of Derivative Securities.

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships. Entry for HICKEY BRIAN E, Executive Vice President.

Signatures

By: Brian R. Yoshida, Esq. (Attorney-In-Fact) 02/03/2009
**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 reported transaction involves an award of restricted stock units under the M&T Bank Corporation 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of M&T Bank Corporation common stock upon vesting.
(2) The restricted stock award includes a total of 20,561 shares. 2,056 shares of the restricted stock award will vest on January 30, 2010; an additional 4,112 shares will vest on January 30, 2011; an additional 6,168 shares will vest on January 30, 2012; and the remaining 8,225 shares will vest on January 30, 2013.
(3) The restricted stock award was granted under an incentive compensation plan maintained by M&T Bank Corporation, and therefore the reporting person paid no price for the shares.
(4) The reporting person no longer has a reportable beneficial interest in the 1,316 shares of M&T Bank Corporation common stock owned by his daughter and included in the reporting person's prior ownership reports.
(5) The information presented is as of January 5, 2009.

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