SLADES FERRY BANCORP

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RIBEIRO CARL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SLADES FERRY BANCORP [SFBC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 100 SLADE BOX 390	(First) FERRY AV	(Middle) VE., P.O.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2008	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		

SOMERSET, MA 02726

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficially Owned

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	Table 1- Ivon-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, of Deficiciany Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01	02/29/2008		D	3,000	D	(1)	0	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	02/29/2008		D	1,000	D	(1)	0	I	By Wife
Common Stock, par value \$.01	02/29/2008		D	500	D	<u>(1)</u>	0	I	By Son
Common	02/29/2008		D	1,000	D	<u>(1)</u>	0	I	Ву

Stock, par value \$.01

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ive Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.59	02/29/2008		D	2,000	<u>(2)</u>	05/17/2012	Common Stock (\$.01 per value)	2,000	
Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.4	02/29/2008		D	2,000	(2)	05/18/2011	Common Stock (\$.01 per value)	2,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

RIBEIRO CARL 100 SLADE FERRY AVE. P.O. BOX 390 SOMERSET, MA 02726

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Signatures

/s/ Mary Lynn D. Lenz by Power of Attorney for Carl Ribeiro 03/03/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- Disposed of pursuant to a merger agreement between the issuer and Independent Bank Corp. in exchange for \$25.50 in cash or 0.818
- (1) shares of Independent common stock (or a combination of both) per share, depending on the election made by the reporting person and the proration procedures described in the merger agreement.
- (2) All options are currently exercisable.
- (3) Cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement in exchange for a cash payment (less any applicable withholdings) representing the difference between the exercise price and \$25.50 per option.

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