

REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Trager Jean S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/  
[RBCAA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
601 WEST MARKET STREET  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Class A Common Stock	12/31/2015		W	V 1,049,225.277 (3) A \$ 0 (3)	2,388,861.715	I	By Teebank Family Limited Partnership (1)
Class A Common Stock	12/31/2015		W	V 28,449.321 (3) A \$ 0 (3)	86,825.956	I	By Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership (2)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Class B Common Stock	(4)	12/31/2015		W	V	137,569.661 (3)		(5)	(6)	Class A Common Stock	137,500 (3)
Class B Common Stock	(4)	12/31/2015		W	V	6,374.582 (3)		(5)	(6)	Class A Common Stock	6,374.582
Class B Common Stock	(4)							(5)	(6)	Class A Common Stock	142

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Trager Jean S 601 WEST MARKET STREET LOUISVILLE, KY 40202			X	

## Signatures

/s/ Jean S Trager 01/11/2016

\*\*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) Teebank Family Limited Partnership ("Teebank") is a family limited partnership. The Reporting Person and her son are co-trustees of a trust (the "GP Trust") which is a co-General partner of Teebank. Multiple trusts (the "LP Trusts") for the benefit of the Reporting Person are limited partners of Teebank. The Reporting Person is a beneficiary of the LP Trusts and Reporting Person's son is the sole trustee of the LP Trusts. The Reporting Person's son has sole voting and dispositive power of the Teebank LP Units held by the LP Trusts. The

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Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

(2) Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership ("Jaytee") is a family limited partnership. The GP Trust is a co-General partner of Jaytee. The LP Trusts are limited partners of Jaytee. The Reporting Person's son has sole voting and dispositive power of the Jaytee LP units held by the LP Trusts. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

(3) On December 31, 2015, Teebank LP units and Jaytee LP units were transferred from a trust for the benefit of the Reporting Person's deceased husband to one of the LP Trusts in accordance with the will of the Reporting Person's husband. The number of securities reported as acquired reflects the proportionate number of securities attributable to the transferred LP units.

(4) Class B Common Stock is immediately convertible into Class A Common Stock on a one share for one share basis.

(5) Immediate.

(6) None.

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