REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TRAGER SCOTT			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) 601 WEST M	(Last) (First) (Middle) 1 WEST MARKET STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2015	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title below) below) Vice Chairman		
	(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		
LOUISVILLE	E, KY 40202	,		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	od of (D) 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	10/28/2015		Code V M	7,500	(D)	Price \$ 19.89	175,077.972 (1)	D	
Class A Common Stock	10/28/2015		F	5,737	D	\$ 26	169,340.972	D	
Class A Common Stock							18,919.317	I	By Teebank Family Limited Partnership

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Class A Common Stock					1,	,980.552	I	By Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership (3)
Class A Common Stock					3 (4	1,633.938	I	By 401(k) Plan
Class A Common Stock					5	1,697	I	By Trager Family Irrevocable Trust (5)
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. SEC 1474 (9-02)								
			ive Securities Acqui tts, calls, warrants, c				d	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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	Derivative Security				(D)	osed of r. 3, 4,				
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.89	10/28/2015	M			7,500	11/19/2014	11/18/2015	Class A Common Stock	7,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.47						04/24/2019	04/24/2020	Class A Common Stock	2,750
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.47						04/24/2020	04/24/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,750

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Class B Common Stock	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	(8)	Class A Common Stock	29,488
Class B Common Stock	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Class A Common Stock	2,480.61
Class B Common Stock	(6)	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(8)</u>	Class A Common Stock	443.778
Class B Common Stock	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	(8)	Class A Common Stock	4,107
Class B Common Stock	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	(8)	Class A Common Stock	1,190

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TRAGER SCOTT 601 WEST MARKET STREET LOUISVILLE, KY 40202	X	X	Vice Chairman			

Signatures

/s/ Scott Trager 10/30/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Includes 106.373 shares acquired under the Issuer's dividend reinvestment plan.
- (2) Teebank Family Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a limited partner.
- (3) Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a limited partner.
- (4) Includes an increase of 699.763 shares held under the Issuer's 401(k) plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (5) Trager Family Irrevocable Trust is a family trust of which the reporting person is a co-trustee and a beneficiary.
- (6) Conversion from Class B Common Stock to Class A Common Stock is on a share for share basis.
- (7) Immediate.

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(8) None.

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