FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Farrell William J II</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  M&T BANK CORP [ MTB ]											ationship of Reporti k all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10%	ssuer Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 NORTH MARKET STREET RODNEY SQUARE NO.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/06/2012										below) below)  Executive Vice President			v)
(Street) WILMINGTON DE 19890 (City) (State) (Zip)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Indivi	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally C	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. ) 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)						nd 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										v	Amount	1)	A) or D)	Price	I	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 04/06/					2012		A <sup>(1)</sup>		44.27		<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0.00(2)		8,381.98		D			
Common Stock 04/06/2					2012			F		13		D	\$86.88		8,368.98		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transacti Code (Ins 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		ount	Deriv Secui	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The reported transaction involves an award of fully vested restricted stock issued under the M&T Bank Corporation 2009 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan and represents a portion of the reporting person's salary. The restricted stock will be subject to restrictions on transfer such that each executive may not sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any of the shares received as stock salary until the earlier of (a) the date that M&T Bank Corporation repays Treasury's Capital Purchase Program investment made under the Troubled Asset Relief Program, or (b) January 1, 2014.

2. The restricted stock was granted under an equity incentive compensation plan maintained by M&T Bank Corporation, and therefore the reporting person paid no price for the restricted stock.

## Remarks:

<u>By: Andrea R. Kozlowski, Esq.</u> <u>04/10/2012</u> (Attorney-In-Fact)

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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