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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* BONTEMPO C ANGELA | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>M&T BANK CORP</u> [MTB] | | ationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer k all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | |
|---|---------|----------|---|-------------------|---|-----------------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 232 WEST 25 STREET | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/03/2005 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | |
| , | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) | vidual or Joint/Group Fil | ing (Check Applicable | |
| (Street) ERIE | РА | 16544 | | X | Form filed by One R | eporting Person | |
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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) | Code (| Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 Code (Instr. | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150.4) |
| Common Stock | 10/03/2005 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 205 | A | \$105.71 | 3,491 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 400 | Ι | By Trust |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) Chate Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | v | and 5 (A) |) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock received in lieu of cash fees pursuant to the M&T Bank Corporation Directors' Stock Plan.

Remarks:

<u>By: Brian R. Yoshida, Esq.</u> (<u>Attorney-In-Fact)</u>

10/05/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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