### REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/ [RBCAA] Montano Juan (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2015 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 601 W MARKET ST (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting \_X\_\_ Officer Other Person LOUISVILLE, Â KYÂ 40202 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One SVP & Managing Dir of Mtg Reporting Person Lend (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Class A Common Stock 8,000 D Â Class A Common Stock 3.020.907 Ι By 401(k) Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	02/02/2015	02/01/2016	Class A Common Stock	3,000	\$ 18.52	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	04/24/2019	04/24/2020	Class A Common Stock	2,750	\$ 24.47	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	04/24/2020	04/24/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,750	\$ 24.47	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	06/12/2019	06/12/2020	Class A Common Stock	2,500	\$ 25.19	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	06/12/2020	06/12/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,500	\$ 25.19	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Montano Juan 601 W MARKET ST LOUISVILLE, KY 40202	Â	Â	SVP & Managing Dir of Mtg Lend	Â

# **Signatures**

/s/ Juan Montano 07/21/2015

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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