#### SADLER ROBERT E JR

Form 5

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Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and A SADLER RO	*	-	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			M&T BANK CORP [MTB]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended	<b>**</b>			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
			12/31/2011	Officer (give title Other (specify			
ONE M&T PLAZA (Street)				below) below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
				(check applicable line)			

### BUFFALO, NYÂ 14203-2399

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-Deri	ivative Sec	urities	Acqui	red, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit (A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/02/2011	Â	J <u>(1)</u>	24,957	A	\$0	106,747	D	Â
Common Stock	11/15/2011	Â	G	17,296	D	\$ 0 (2)	89,451	D	Â
Common Stock	11/16/2011	Â	G	13,835	D	\$ 0 (2)	75,616	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	21,923	I	See footnote (3)
	11/02/2011	Â	<u>J(1)</u>	24,957	D	\$0	57,202	I	

Common By GRAT Stock #4 (4)

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)

Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction	5. Number	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	
Security	or Exercise	• • •	any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Securiti (Instr. 3		(Instr. 5)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SADLER ROBERT E JR ONE M&T PLAZA

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BUFFALO, NYÂ 14203-2399

## **Signatures**

1 Title of

By: Brian R. Yoshida, Esq. (Attorney-In-Fact)

02/14/2012

\*\*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) This transaction represents a distribution to the reporting person from GRAT #4 in the form of an annuity. See footnote (4) for information regarding GRAT #4.
- (2) The reported transaction involved a transfer of securities by gift for which no payment of consideration was received by the reporting person.
- (3) The indicated shares are held by the Sadler Family Foundation, a charitable trust in which the reporting person has no pecuniary interest. The reporting person is a trustee of the Sadler Family Foundation and holds voting and dispositive power over the shares held by it.
- (4) The indicated shares are held by a Grantor Retained Annuity Trust ("GRAT #4") of which the reporting person is trustee and of which the reporting person and his descendants are beneficiaries. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all of the M&T

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Bank Corporation common stock held by the GRAT #4 but disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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