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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **RAU JOHN** Issuer Symbol FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY (Check all applicable) TRUST INC [FR] (First) (Last) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) 311 SOUTH WACKER 05/02/2005 DRIVE, SUITE 4000 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivativo	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005		Code V M	Amount 600	(D)	Price \$ 31.125	(Instr. 3 and 4) 6,316	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005		S	600	D	\$ 37.52	6,316	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	05/02/2005		M	100	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D	

per share							
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	100	D	\$ 37.5	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	1,500	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 37.49	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	600	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 37.48	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	600	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	600	D	\$ 37.46	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	1,500	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 37.45	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	500	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 37.44	6,316	D

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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	500	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 37.43	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	700	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	700	D	\$ 37.42	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	500	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	500	D	\$ 37.41	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	900	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	900	D	\$ 37.4	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	100	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	100	D	\$ 37.38	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	200	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
	05/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 37.37	6,316	D

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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	200	A	\$ 31.125	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	200	D	\$ 37.36	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	M	1,500	A	\$ 27.6875	6,316	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/02/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 37.36	6,316	D

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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 (Instr.	8)	5. nNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAU JOHN
311 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE

SUITE 4000 CHICAGO, IL 60606

Signatures

/s/ John Rau 05/03/2005

**Signature of Person Date

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