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OMB UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 3235-0362 Number: Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if January 31, Expires: no longer subject 2005 to Section 16. Estimated average ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL Form 4 or Form burden hours per 5 obligations OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES response... 1.0 may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer SADLER ROBERT E JR Symbol M&T BANK CORP [MTB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify 12/31/2009 below) below) ONE M&T PLAZA Vice Chairman (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) BUFFALO. NYÂ 14203-2399 _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Transaction Acquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned at end Indirect (I) Ownership of Issuer's (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (A) Fiscal Year or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Amount Price Common Â Â 07/23/2008 **G5** 220 \$ (1) 67,751 D D Stock Common \$ (1) 67,111 Â 12/14/2009 G 640 D D Stock

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Common By GRAT #4 (4) Stock Common 401 (k) Â Â Â Â 10,284 Stock Plan (5) Persons who respond to the collection of information Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of SEC 2270 contained in this form are not required to respond unless securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. (9-02)the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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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)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	Â	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
rg = 11 11	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SADLER ROBERT E JR ONE M&T PLAZA BUFFALO, NY 14203-2399	ÂX	Â	Vice Chairman	Â			
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Signatures

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By: Brian R. Yoshida, Esq. (Attorney-In-Fact) 02/16/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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The reported transaction involved a transfer of securities by gift for which no payment of consideration was received by the reporting person.

- (2) 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.
- The indicated shares are held by a Grantor Retained Annuity Trust ("GRAT #3") 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 Bank Corporation common stock held by the GRAT #3 but disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- 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 Bank Corporation common stock held by the GRAT #4 but disclaims beneficial ownership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest
- (5) The information presented is as of December 31, 2009.
- The reported phantom common stock units are held by the reporting person in an excess benefit plan account maintained by M&T Bank Corporation and represent a like number of shares of M&T Bank Corporation common stock. The phantom common stock units may only be settled in cash upon distribution in accordance with the terms of the plan. The reported phantom common stock units also include units acquired through the dividend reinvestment feature of the plan.

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