

REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/  
Form 5  
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# FORM 5

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TRAGER STEVE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
REPUBLIC BANCORP INC /KY/ [RBCAA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and CEO

601 WEST MARKET STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

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 Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)                       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Class A Common Stock            | 01/07/2008                           | Â  | G <sup>(1)</sup>               | 5,033.447 A   | \$ 0 1,724,760.328   | I  | By Teebank Family Limited Partnership <sup>(2)</sup>    |
| Class A Common Stock            | 01/07/2008                           | Â  | G <sup>(1)</sup>               | 526.922 A   | \$ 0 180,555.004   | I  | By Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership <sup>(3)</sup> |

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|                            |            |   |   |       |   |      |           |   |                   |
|----------------------------|------------|---|---|-------|---|------|-----------|---|-------------------|
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/09/2008 | Â | G | 6,600 | D | \$ 0 | 97,451    | D | Â                 |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | Â          | Â | Â | Â     | Â | Â    | 7,478     | I | By spouse<br>(4)  |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | Â          | Â | Â | Â     | Â | Â    | 7,573     | I | By 401(k)<br>Plan |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | Â          | Â | Â | Â     | Â | Â    | 7,179.176 | I | By ESOP<br>(5)    |

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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) |     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                  |         |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|--|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|---------|
|   |   |   |   |   | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount of<br>Number of<br>Shares |         |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                          | Â   | 01/07/2008                              | Â   | G <sup>(1)</sup>                        | 659.963   | Â   | Â  | Â <sup>(7)</sup>   | Â <sup>(8)</sup>  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock       | 659.963 |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                          | Â   | 01/07/2008                              | Â   | G <sup>(1)</sup>                        | 118.065   | Â   | Â  | Â <sup>(7)</sup>   | Â <sup>(8)</sup>  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock       | 118.065 |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                          | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | Â  | Â <sup>(7)</sup>   | Â <sup>(8)</sup>  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock       | 17,014  |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                          | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â                                       | Â   | Â   | Â  | Â <sup>(7)</sup>   | Â <sup>(8)</sup>  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock       | 1,214.5 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| TRAGER STEVE<br>601 WEST MARKET STREET<br>LOUISVILLE, KY 40202 | X             | X         | President and CEO | X     |

## Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Trager                      02/16/2009

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## 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) Gifts reported herein consisted of units representing an interest in the partnership's assets.  
Teebank Family Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner and a limited partner and of which trusts for the benefit of, among others, the reporting person and the reporting person's two minor children are limited partners. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - (2) Jaytee Properties Limited Partnership is a family limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner and a limited partner and of which trusts for the benefit of, among others, the reporting person and the reporting person's two minor children are limited partners. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - (3) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities.  
The final allocation of shares of Class A Common Stock held by the Issuer's ESOP was completed as of 12/31/08; therefore, unallocated shares are no longer being reported by the reporting person as a member of the Administrative Committee. Includes 3,189.9120 shares of Class A Common Stock allocated to the reporting person's father. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities. Also includes 3,989.2644 shares of Class A Common Stock allocated to the reporting person under the ESOP.
  - (4) Conversion from Class B Common Stock to Class A Common Stock is on a share for share basis.
  - (5) Immediate.
  - (6) None.

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