Independence Contract Drilling, Inc. Form 4 Eab 24 2016

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(Print or Type	Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MCNEASE DANIEL F			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Symbol Independence Co	-	Issuer					
		[	ICD]	· · ·		(Check all applic	able)			
(Last)	(First)	(	<ol> <li>B. Date of Earliest Tra Month/Day/Year)</li> <li>Month/22/2016</li> </ol>	ansaction		X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
STREET			212212010							
	(Street)		If Amendment, Da Filed(Month/Day/Year)	-	Applicable	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
HOUSTON	N, TX 77086				Form fi Person	iled by More than Or	e Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative Securitie	s Acquired, Disp	oosed of, or Benef	icially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	Date 2A. Deemed ear) Execution D any (Month/Day	eate, if Transaction Code /Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Pri	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and -	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	-			
Reminder: Re	eport on a separate	e line for each clas	s of securities benefi	cially owned direct	y or indirectly.					
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			tive Securities Acqu uts, calls, warrants,			Owned				
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				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	3
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2016		А		17,500		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	17,500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationsh	nips	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCNEASE DANIEL F 11601 NORTH GALAYDA STREET HOUSTON, TX 77086	Х			
Signatures				
/s/ Philip A. Choyce, as Attorney-in-Fact	02	2/24/2016		
**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contintent right to receive one share of ICD's common stock.
- (2) The reporting person received a restricted stock unit that vests on the one year anniversary of the date of grant. ICD will settled vested RSUIs within 30 days of the date that such RSU's vest.

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