TRI-CONTINENTAL CORP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(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 Condon Brian Matthew Issuer Symbol TRI-CONTINENTAL CORP [TY] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X_ Other (specify Officer (give title 225 FRANKLIN STREET 12/11/2015 below) below) Portfolio Manager of Issuer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BOSTON, MA 02110 Person (City) (State) (Zip)

(State) (Zip)	Table I - I	Non-Deriva	itive Secu	rities .	Acquired	l, Disposed of, or	· Beneficially	Owned
2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature
(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Di	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Ownership	of Indirect
	any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
				(4)		Reported	(I)	
						Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
		Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
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12/11/2015		P	2,500	A	\$ 19.58	17,500	D	
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securi (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code (Instr. 3, (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Code V Amount	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities A. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Eneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 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)

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Condon Brian Matthew 225 FRANKLIN STREET BOSTON, MA 02110

Portfolio Manager of Issuer

Signatures

Joseph D'Alessandro, Power of Attorney 12/11/2015

**Signature of Reporting 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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