FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHAN	IGES IN B	ENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* $ \underline{ YAP\ JOHANNSON\ L} $					FI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST INC [FR]								(Ch	eck all ap Dire	olicable)	g Person(s) to Is 10% C	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 311 S. WACKER DRIVE SUITE 3900					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2018									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Investment Officer				
(Street) CHICAGO IL 60606 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line) <mark>X</mark> Forr Forr	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				Secui	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
							Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(
Common Stock 02/13/2				2018		A		20,085 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$0.00	0 298,633		D					
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		ransaction		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		r. 3	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Expiration of Exercisable Date Title Share									

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents restricted shares granted under First Industrial's 2014 Stock Incentive Plan. Such shares vest in three equal installments on January 1, 2019, 2020 and 2021.

Remarks:

/s/ Daniel J. Hemmer, attorneyin-fact 02/21/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$

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