FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  YAP JOHANNSON L					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST INC [ NONE ]									Check	all app	olicable)			ssuer Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST, INC.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/09/2011										X Officer (give title Officer Specify below)  Chief Investment Officer							
311 S. WACKER DRIVE, STE. 3900  (Street)  CHICAGO IL 60606  (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Indivi ne) X	′						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,			Code	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Secur Benef		cially I Following	6. Ownersl Form: Dire (D) or Indir (I) (Instr. 4)	ct   ect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A	) or )	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)			(msu. 4)
Common Stock 09/09/					/2011		P		5,000		A	\$8.15		37,074 <sup>(1)</sup>		I		By 401(k) Plan		
	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)	Execution Date,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e ar)	Amou Secu Unde Deriv Secu and 4		tr. 3 unt ber	t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct or India (I) (Inst	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V				(D)			Expiration Date	Title Shares		es						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1.\ Does\ not\ include\ 296,650\ shares\ of\ common\ stock\ of\ FR\ held\ directly\ by\ the\ reporting\ person.$ 

/s/ John H. Clayton, attorneyin-fact

09/12/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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