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(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 **CLARK MARK T** Issuer Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify **76 SOUTH MAIN STREET** 03/02/2006 below) below) Senior Vice President (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 AKRON, OH 44308 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Code Beneficially (D) or

Security Indirect (Instr. 3) Disposed of (D) Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 69,516.482 D Stock

Common In Savings I 5,931.343 Stock Plan

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securi
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Nun Shar
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	4
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45					04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	3
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	10
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1					<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,6
Phantom3/04D	\$ 1					03/12/2005	03/01/2007	Common Stock	2,0
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1					02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,1
RSUP1	\$ 1					03/01/2008	03/01/2008	Common Stock	3,8
RSUP4	\$ 1					03/01/2009	03/01/2009	Common Stock	4
Phantom 3/06D	\$ 1 <u>(3)</u>	03/02/2006		A	2,908 (4)	03/02/2006	03/02/2009	Common Stock	2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CLARK MARK T 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			Senior Vice President			
Signatures						
David W. Whitehead, POA	03/03/2006					
	Date					

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**Signature of 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).
- This transaction reflects the extension of the expiration date of phantom stock from 3/1/2006 to "retirement" or "other termination of employment" under arrangements approved by the Compensation Committee, and reflects the stock moving to the "Retirement" account from Phantom 3/03D.
- (2) This transaction reflects the extension and vesting of phantom stock to "retirement" or "other termination of employment" under arrangements approved by the Compensation Committee.
- (3) 1 for 1
- (4) 2,423 shares are vested (i.e. non-forfeited) immediately. 485 shares become vested (i.e. non-forfeited) on 3/1/2009.

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