MORGAN STEPHEN E

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MORGAN STEPHEN E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET		EΤ	(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2005	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Che Applicable Line)		
AKRON, OH 44308				_X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	curiti	es Acquire	d, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an	(D)	red (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/25/2005		A	1,524.364 (1)	A	\$ 39.535	1,869.879	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2005		D	1,524.364 (1)	D	\$ 39.535	345.515	D	
Common Stock							4,821.4214	I	By Savings Plan

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)

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) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 27.75					11/22/2004	11/22/2010	Common Stock	5,00
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5					05/16/2005	05/16/2011	Common Stock	15,0
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	11,7
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45					04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	4,00
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	22,7
Phantom3/04D	\$ 1					03/12/2004	03/01/2007	Common Stock	1,015.

Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting

Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer of the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MORGAN STEPHEN E 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			President				
Signatures							
David W. Whitehead, POA	02/28/2	005					

Date

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) These performances shares paid out in cash, per the vesting and payout date approved by the Compensation Committee. The performance shares were not required to be reported at date of grant because the vesting is based in part on factors other than stock price.

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