#### FIRSTENERGY CORP

Form 4 March 30, 2006

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Form 5 obligations may continue.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

MAIER RUSSELL W

(First) (Middle)

**76 SOUTH MAIN STREET** 

(Street)

AKRON, OH 44308

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/28/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ 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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

or

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

5. Amount of

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price Common

3,716.302 (1)

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number poof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. I<br>Der<br>Sec<br>(Ins |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------|---|--|----------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                            |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(Right to<br>buy)               | \$ 31.7438  |                                      |   |  |  | 01/01/2003                          | 01/01/2009         | Common<br>Stock   | 5,110                                  |                            |
| Phantom<br>Stock<br>Units                           | \$ 1 <u>(1)</u>   | 03/28/2006                           |   | A                                      | 327  | (2)                                 | (2)                | Common<br>Stock   | 327                                    | \$                         |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                             | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| •  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| MAIER RUSSELL W<br>76 SOUTH MAIN STREET<br>AKRON, OH 44308 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

Person

David W.
Whitehead, POA

\*\*Signature of Reporting

Date

## **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).
- **(1)** 1 for 1
- (2) In accordance with the terms and conditions of the FirstEnergy Corp. Deferred Compensation plan for Outside Directors.

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