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Check thi		STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES								
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(Print or Type F	Responses)									
DINDO KATHRYN W Sym			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				(Chec.	(Check all applicable)		
76 SOUTH	(Month/D	ionth/Day/Year) i/22/2006				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President				
	endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 					
AKRON, O	H 44308						Form filed by M Person			
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3.4. Securities AcquiredTransaction(A) or Disposed of (D)Code(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)(Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/22/2006		М	3,000	А	\$ 19.31	3,152.461	D		
Common Stock	05/22/2006		S	3,000 (1)	D	\$ 52.91	152.461	D		
Common Stock							1,512.858	Ι	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	onof D Secu Acq (A) Disp (D)	urities uired or posed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.31	05/22/2006		М		3,000 (1)	03/01/2004	03/01/2010	Common Stock	3,
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5						05/16/2005	05/16/2011	Common Stock	15
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71						03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	16
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45						04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	12
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76						03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	13
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1						03/01/2006(2)	(2)	Common Stock	8,16
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1						02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	368
RSUP1	\$ 1						03/01/2008	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,11
RSUP4	\$ 1						03/01/2009	03/01/2009	Common Stock	1,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
DINDO KATHRYN W 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			Vice President					
Signatures								
David W. Whitehead, POA	05/24/2006							
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	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) Stock Option Grant #7 was issued on March 1, 2000 at \$19.31, and became exercisable on March 1, 2004.
- This transaction reflects the extension of the expiration date of phantom stock from 3/1/2006 to "retirement" or "other termination of(2) employment" under arrangements approved by the Compensation Committee, and reflects the stock moving to the "Retirement" account from Phantom 3/03D.

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