PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HARDIS STEPHEN R

6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/ [PGR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

11/29/2012

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

Person

below)

MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143

(Street)

(State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(A) or

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 4 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or Disposed of

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	Derivative Security		(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
			Code	V (A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)	11/29/2012	A <u>(2)</u>	8,313.256	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	8,313.2
Phantom Stock Unit	\$ 0				(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common	51,891.6
Phantom Stock Unit / (Rest. Stock)	\$ 0 (1)	11/29/2012	A(2)	2,414.686	4 (3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common	2,414.6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HARDIS STEPHEN R 6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143	X					

Signatures

David M. Coffey, by Power of Attorney 12/03/2012

**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)** 1 for 1.
- (2) These phantom shares were acquired upon the reinvestment of dividends pursuant to the terms of the plan.
- (3) The phantom stock units will be distributed in cash at the time elected by the reporting person, subject to the vesting provisions of the plan.
- (4) Expiration Date is the same as the Date Exercisable.

Remarks:

Line 2 on this form should be labeled "Phantom Stock Unit/(Rest. Stock) as it represents the balance of these units prior to the Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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