

ELLIOTT DOUGLAS S  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ELLIOTT DOUGLAS S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

AKRON, OH 44308

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/01/2007		M		9,525 (1) A \$ 29.71 24,918.7056	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2007		M		7,850 (1) A \$ 38.76 32,768.7056	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2007		S		9,525 (1) D \$ 62.0037 23,243.7056	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2007		M		7,850 (1) D \$ 62.0037 15,393.7056	D	
Common Stock						I	By Savings Plan

Common Stock				31.386	I	Trust By Son
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title of Underlying Security (Instr. 3)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/01/2007		A	534.889 <sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1					02/25/2005 03/01/2008	Common Stock
Phantom 3/06D	\$ 1					03/02/2006 03/02/2009	Common Stock
Phantom 3/07D	\$ 1					03/01/2007 03/01/2010	Common Stock
Phantom3/04D	\$ 1	03/01/2007		M	534.889	03/01/2004 03/01/2007	Common Stock
RSUP1	\$ 1					03/01/2008 03/01/2008	Common Stock
RSUP4	\$ 1					03/01/2009 03/01/2009	Common Stock
RSUP6	\$ 1 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/01/2007		A	1,653	03/01/2010 03/01/2010	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71	03/01/2007		M	9,525	03/01/2004 03/01/2013	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76	03/01/2007		M	7,850	03/01/2005 03/01/2014	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELLIOTT DOUGLAS S 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			Senior Vice President	

## Signatures

Edward J. Udovich, POA                      03/02/2007

\_\_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) These options were exercised in accordance with Doug Elliott's 10b5-1 plan dated as of June 21, 2005.
- (4) 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) These transactions reflect the extension of the expiration date of phantom stock from 3/1/2007 to "retirement" under arrangements approved by the Compensation Committee and reflect the movement of stock from the Phantom 3/04 account to the "retirement" account.
- (2) 1 for 1

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