SULLIVAN KATHRYN D

Form 4

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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 * SULLIVAN KATHRYN D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol

AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER

(Check all applicable)

CO INC [AEP]

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

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

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2004

(Month/Day/Year)

1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA, 29TH **FLOOR**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Code

(Instr. 8)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

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

COLUMBUS, OH 43215

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I)

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

(Instr. 4)

Reported (A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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

Following

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Unit (1)	\$ 0 (2)	12/31/2004		A	436.808		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	436.808
Phantom Stock Unit (3)	\$ 0 (2)	12/31/2004		A	436.808		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	436.808

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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SULLIVAN KATHRYN D 1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA, 29TH FLOOR X COLUMBUS, OH 43215

Signatures

/s/ Thomas G. Berkemeyer as Attorney-in-Fact for Kathryn D.
Sullivan
01/05/2005

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person 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) Acquisition pursuant to the AEP Stock Unit Accumulation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (2) Stock Units are paid to the director in cash upon termination of service, unless the director has elected to defer payment for a period that results in payment commencing not later than five years thereafter.
- (3) Acquisition pursuant to the AEP Deferred Compensation and Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (4) Includes units of reinvested dividends for 4th quarter, 2004 pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of both Plans.
- (5) NOTE: The Form 4 filed on 10/01/2004 contained a typographical error in number of stock units acquired in Column 5 (269 instead of 469); however, Columns 7 and 9 correctly reported the number of derivative securities owned.

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