FIRSTENERGY CORP

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB Number:

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

Director

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Middle)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Symbol

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

WELSH THOMAS M

76 SOUTH	MAIN STREET	07/02/20	•				Director X Officer (giv below)		er (specify
	(Street)		ndment, Da nth/Day/Year		1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
AKRON, O	OH 44308							More than One Re	
(City)	(State)	Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock							10,323.021	D	
Common Stock							1.01	I	By Jeff Welsh (Son)
Common Stock							1.01	I	By Thomas Welsh (Son)
Common Stock	07/02/2007		S	3,309 (1)	D	\$ 65.96	4,896.594	I	Savings Plan

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumbo of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. 4, and	ative ties red sed	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1						02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	556.515
Phantom 3/06D	\$ 1						03/02/2006	03/02/2009	Common Stock	1,213.662
Phantom 3/07D	\$ 1						03/01/2007	03/01/2010	Common Stock	343.91
RSUP1	\$ 1						03/01/2008	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,591.264
RSUP4	\$ 1						03/01/2009	03/01/2009	Common Stock	1,330.895
RSUP6	\$ 1						03/01/2010	03/01/2010	Common Stock	1,534
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76						03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	3,875

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WELSH THOMAS M								
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET			Senior Vice President					
AKRON, OH 44308								

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Signatures

Jacqueline S. Cooper, POA

07/03/2007

**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) This transaction was performed in accordance with a 10b5-1 Plan signed by Thomas M. Welsh on 5/30/2007.

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