MORRIS MICHAEL G

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MORRIS MICHAEL G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Street)

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

X_ Director

10% Owner

201 EAST FOURTH STREET

04/28/2006

below)

Other (specify Officer (give title

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

Person

CINCINNATI 45202

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(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 Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) or Indirect

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7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

19,167.939

By Deferred

Code V Amount (D) Price

Compensation Plan (1)

Common Stock

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)

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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. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Shares (2)	(3)					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,000
Option to Buy (5)	\$ 5.655					12/04/2003	12/04/2013	Common Stock	25,000
Option to Buy (5)	\$ 4.245					04/23/2004	04/23/2014	Common Stock	9,000
Option to Buy (5)	\$ 3.87					04/29/2005	04/29/2015	Common Stock	9,000
Phantom Shares (2)	(3)					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,000
Option to Buy (5)	\$ 4.195	04/28/2006		A	9,000	04/28/2006	04/28/2016	Common Stock	9,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting Owner Name / Mariess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MORRIS MICHAEL G 201 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI 45202	X					

Signatures

Christopher J. Wilson by Power of Attorney for Michael G. Morris

05/02/2006 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).
- Under the terms of the Cincinnati Bell Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan, reporting person elected to defer a percentage of his annual retainer and/or meeting fees. These shares were acquired pursuant to the terms of the Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors.
- (2) Phantom shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.

(3) One for one conversion.

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- (4) Phantom shares are payable in cash following retirement or termination of the reporting person's employment/affiliation with the Company.
- (5) Option shares granted under the 1997 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (6) Reporting person will pay option price at time of exercise.

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