CINCINNATI BELL INC

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB] A Schulte Anthony P (Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 201 EAST FOURTH STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer _ Other Person CINCINNATI. OHÂ 45202 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Vice President -Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Ι Common Stock 4,263.007 By Trustee of 401K RSP Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable an	and	3. Title and A		4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date		Securities Un	derlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
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					Security Direct (D)		
	Da					or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Option to Buy (1)	01/04/2002	01/04/2009	Common Stock	500	\$ 16.75	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	01/02/2002(2)	01/02/2011	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 22.8438	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	09/05/2002(2)	09/05/2011	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 16.425	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	12/04/2002(2)	12/04/2011	Common Stock	2,250	\$ 9.645	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	12/05/2001(2)	12/05/2012	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 3.48	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	12/04/2002(2)	12/04/2013	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 5.655	D	Â
Option to Buy (1)	12/03/2003(2)	12/03/2014	Common Stock	2,700	\$ 3.7	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Schulte Anthony P 201 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI Â OHÂ 45202	Â	Â	Vice President -	Â		

Signatures

Amy K. Collins, Attorney-in-Fact for Anthony P. Schulte 09/20/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (2) Options have a 3 year vesting schedule: 28% one year from grant date and 3% for each of the remaining 24 months. Options expire ten years from grant date.

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