#### **KEATING BRIAN G**

Form 4

March 01, 2012

# FORM 4

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

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Common

Stock (1)

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **KEATING BRIAN G** 

(Zip)

(First) (Middle)

221 EAST FOURTH STREET

(Street)

(State)

02/28/2012

(Month/Day/Year)

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

(A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

74,015 D S

92,947

6,745.961

2005 Estimated average

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

I

D

Person

5. Amount of

Beneficially

Securities

Owned Following

Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

> By Trustee of 401k

(9-02)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		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
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 16.425					09/05/2002	09/05/2011	Common Stock	1,000
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 9.645					12/04/2002	12/04/2011	Common Stock	8,500
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 5.655					12/04/2004	12/04/2013	Common Stock	51,000
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 3.995					12/01/2005	12/01/2015	Common Stock	50,000
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 4.735					12/08/2007	12/08/2016	Common Stock	50,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 4.91					12/07/2008	12/07/2017	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Appreciation Right (4)	\$ 1.39					01/30/2010	01/30/2019	Common Stock	28,492
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 2.91					01/29/2011	01/29/2020	Common Stock	50,638
Stock Appreciation Right (5)	\$ 2.54					12/07/2011	12/07/2020	Common Stock	79,429

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
toporting of their remover removes	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KEATING BRIAN G 221 EAST FOURTH STREET			Vice			
CINCINNATI OH 45202			President			

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## **Signatures**

Christopher J. Wilson, Attorney-in-Fact for Brian G. Keating

03/01/2012

\*\*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 made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 14, 2012.
- (2) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (3) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (4) Stock-settled Stock Appreciation Right (SAR) granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (5) Cash-settled Stock Appreciation Right (SAR) granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.

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