FIRSTENERGY CORP

Form 4 July 21, 2006

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

CAVALIER LYNNETTE M			Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]					ng	Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 76 SOUTH	(First)  MAIN STREE	(Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D) 07/19/20	ay/Year		ansaction			DirectorX Officer (give below)	10%	Owner er (specify
					f Amendment, Date Original ed(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		
AKRON, O	H 44308								Person	nore than One Re	porung
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	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	07/19/2006			Code M	V	Amount 3,000 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 55.23	45,580.288	D	
Common Stock	07/19/2006			S		3,000 (1)	D	\$ 55.23	42,580.288	D	
Common Stock									4,902.746	I	by Savings Plan

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. Number out of 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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ame Nun Shar
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,8
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1					02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,7
Phantom 3/06D	\$ 1					03/02/2006	03/02/2009	Common Stock	
Phantom3/04D	\$ 1					03/01/2004	03/01/2007	Common Stock	1,9
RSUP1	\$ 1					03/01/2008	03/01/2008	Common Stock	1,9
RSUP4	\$ 1					03/01/2009	03/01/2009	Common Stock	1,9
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	•
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	1
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45	07/19/2006		M	3,000	04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CAVALIER LYNNETTE M							
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET			Vice President				
AKRON, OH 44308							

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# **Signatures**

David W. Whitehead, POA

07/21/2006

\*\*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).
- (2) This transaction reflects the extension and vesting of phantom stock to retirement or other termination of employment under arrangements approved by the Compensation Committee.
- (1) This stock option was exercised in accordance with a 10b5-1 Plan signed by Lynn M. Cavalier on 7/22/2005.

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