

Pearson James F  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Pearson James F

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
(Street)

AKRON, OH 44308

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Vice President and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/01/2010		C		431 <sup>(5)</sup> A \$ 39.01	431	D
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A		152 <sup>(5)</sup> A \$ 39.01	583	D
Common Stock	03/01/2010		F		188 <sup>(5)</sup> D \$ 39.01	395	D
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A		921 <sup>(6)</sup> A \$ 39.01	1,316	D
Common Stock	03/01/2010		C		1,332 <sup>(6)</sup> A \$ 39.01	2,648	D

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Common Stock	03/01/2010	F	726 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	\$ 39.01	1,922	D	
Common Stock						2,100	I	By Mother (jointly)
Common Stock						5,421.134	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Phantom 3/07d	\$ 1 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2010		C	1,166.09 <sup>(4)</sup>	03/01/2007 03/01/2010	Common Stock
Phantom / Retirement	<sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2010		C	1,166.09 <sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock
Rsud2	\$ 1 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2010		C	431 <sup>(5)</sup>	03/01/2010 03/01/2010	Common Stock
Rsup6	\$ 1 <sup>(1)</sup>	03/01/2010		C	1,332 <sup>(6)</sup>	03/01/2010 03/01/2010	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Pearson James F 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			Vice President and Treasurer	

## Signatures

Edward J. Udovich, POA                      03/03/2010

