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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading McGrath Donald J Issuer Symbol EATON CORP [ETN] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR 02/27/2007 below) AVE. **VP** - Communications (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

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(City)

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Shares	02/27/2007		A	500 (1) A (2)	500 (1)	D	
Common Shares					193.196 <u>(3)</u>	I	by trustee of ESP

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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
Stock Option	\$ 80.81	02/27/2007	A	4,900	02/27/2008(4)	02/27/2017	Common Shares	4,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McGrath Donald J EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44114

VP - Communications

Signatures

/s/ Claudia J. Taller as attorney-in-fact

03/01/2007

**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) These shares represent restricted shares issued under an Eaton Corporation stock plan and are subject to risk of forfeiture.
- (2) This field is not applicable.
- (3) These shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.
- (4) Thirty-three percent (33%) of these options become exercisable on the first and second anniversaries of the date granted and thirty-four percent (34%) on the third anniversary of the date granted.

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