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FORM 4

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

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

Symbol

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction 1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

				FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (76 S. MAIN ST. (Street) AKRON, OH 44308			Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2018					X	Director 10% Owner Symbol Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(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 Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivative Sec	uritie	s Acquired,	Disposed of, or I	Beneficially (Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution I any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) TransactionDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) P				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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock	03/01/2018			M	18,168.608 (1)	A	Price (2)	29,898.478 (3)	D		
	Common Stock	03/01/2018			D	5,821.985 (4)	D	<u>(4)</u>	24,076.493 (3)	D		
	Common Stock	03/01/2018			D	12,346.623 (1)	D	\$ 32.4825	11,729.87 (3)	D		
	Common Stock	03/01/2018			M	36,044 (5)	A	(2)	47,773.87 (3)	D		
	Common Stock	03/01/2018			F	12,716 (5)	D	\$ 32.4825	35,057.87 (3)	D		

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Estimated average

burden hours per

Common Stock

3,245.56 (6) 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number TransactionSecurities Code Disposed of (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4)		quired (A) or D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	1
				Code V	(A)	(D)				
RSUC15	(7)	03/01/2018		M		18,168.608	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	
RSUS15	<u>(7)</u>	03/01/2018		M		36,044	(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	
Phantom 3/18D	<u>(7)</u>	03/01/2018		A	5,821.985		<u>(8)</u>	(8)	Common Stock	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Strah Steven E 76 S. MAIN ST. AKRON, OH 44308

Sr VP & President FE Utilities

Signatures

Jennifer L. Geyer, attorney-in-fact

03/05/2018

**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) Represents the vesting of the RSUC15 award. The award vested on March 1, 2018. Amounts also include dividend reinvestment.
- (2) 1 for 1. The RSUS15 and RSUC15 awards were previously granted for \$0.00 under the FirstEnergy Corp. 2007 Incentive Plan.

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- (3) Balance includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.
- This transaction reflects the deferral of the RSUC15 award. As a result, the reporting person is reporting the disposition of shares of common stock in exchange for an equal number of shares of phantom stock described below.
- (5) Represents the vesting of the RSUS15 award. The award vested on March 1, 2018. The shares coded "F" were automatically withheld to cover tax obligations associated with the payout. Amounts also include dividend reinvestment.
- FE's 401(k) Savings Plan includes a unitized fund invested in FE stock, in which the reporting person may invest, and includes dividend reinvestment and company match features. The number of shares reported as indirectly held in the 401(k) Plan in this row is an estimate of the number of shares of FE's common stock held in the unitized stock fund and allocated to the reporting person's account as of January 31, 2018.
- (**7**) 1 for 1
- This holding reflects phantom stock payable in cash upon retirement or other termination of employment under the FirstEnergy

 (8) Corp. Amended and Restated Executive Deferred Compensation Plan. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.

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