

GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO /OH/

Form 4

March 31, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KAPLAN JAROSLAV

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**THE GOODYEAR TIRE &
RUBBER COMPANY, 1144 EAST
MARKET STREET**

(Street)

AKRON, OH 44316-0001

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO
/OH/ [GT]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/29/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
President, EEME&A Business

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	Price	401 ⁽¹⁾	I 401(k) Plan ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	03/29/2006		A	3,950 ⁽³⁾	\$ 17.45 ⁽⁴⁾	9,639	D

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
2002 Plan Performance Units ⁽⁵⁾	<u>(4)</u>	03/29/2006		A	10,500	<u>(4)</u> <u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
KAPLAN JAROSLAV THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY 1144 EAST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44316-0001	President, EEME&A Business

Signatures

/s/ Bertram Bell, signing as an attorney-in-fact and agent duly authorized to execute this Form 4 on behalf of Jaroslav Kaplan pursuant to a Power of Attorney dated 10/3/02, a copy of which has been previously filed with the SEC.

03/31/2006

__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).

Total number of shares of common stock allocated to the account of the reporting person in a Trust established under Goodyear's

(1) Employee Savings Plan for Salaried Employees, a 401(k) Plan (the "Savings Plan"), as of the date of this statement as reported by the Plan Trustee.

(2) The shares are held by a nominee of The Northern Trust Company, the Savings Plan Trustee.

(3) Shares awarded to the reporting person on 3/29/06 pursuant to Performance Units granted on 12/3/02 under the 2002 Performance Plan (the "2002 Plan").

(4) In accordance with the terms of the 12/3/02 grant, the reporting person was granted up to 10,500 Units (150% of the base number of Units). The reporting person was awarded on 3/29/06 112.85% of the base number of Units granted, paid in March 2006 as follows: the payment of 50% of the Units awarded was paid in one (1) share of Common Stock per Unit and payment of 50% of the Units awarded was paid in cash at \$17.45 per Unit, the fair market value of the Common Stock on 12/30/05.

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(5) Performance Units granted on 12/3/02 under the 2002 Plan.

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