

GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO /OH/

Form 4

April 04, 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 *
TOPPEN TIMOTHY R

(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)
03/31/2006

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, Engineered Products

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount		Price
Common Stock					11,259 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock					2,049 ⁽²⁾	I	401(k) Plan ⁽³⁾

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 (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)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Amount or Number of Shares
2005 PRPA-CSE (4)	(5)	03/31/2006		A	2,297	(5)	(5)	Common Stock 2,297

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
TOPPEN TIMOTHY R THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY 1144 EAST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44316-0001	President, Engineered Products

Signatures

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

04/04/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Total shares directly beneficially owned, excluding indirectly held shares under the Savings Plan (as previously reported).

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

(2) 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.

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

(4) Performance Units awarded on 3/31/06 under the Company's Performance Recognition Plan (the "PRP") and the Company's 2005 Performance Plan (the "2005 Plan"), the payment of which has been deferred.

(5) The reporting person elected to defer a portion of the 2005 PRP award as deferred stock units under the 2005 Plan, each unit equivalent in value to the fair market value of one (1) share of common stock (\$14.73 on 2/21/06). Each Unit was accrued to a deferral account of the reporting person and valued at \$14.73 on 2/21/06. The units will be paid in shares of common stock after 12/31/09. Each unit accrues dividend equivalents (on each dividend payment date in an amount equal to the per share cash dividend paid) until paid.

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