JONES CHARLES E

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(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 JONES CHARLES E Issuer Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify **76 SOUTH MAIN STREET** 02/25/2005 below) Senior Vice President (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 AKRON, OH 44308 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	ecuriti	es Acquire	d, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities and orDisposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and	(D) ad 5) (A) or	` ,	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	02/25/2005		Code V A	Amount 2,133.786 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 39.535	2,133.786	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2005		D	2,133.786 (1)	D	\$ 39.535	0	D	
Common Stock							9,655.5039	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 27.75						11/22/2004	11/22/2010	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5						05/16/2005	05/16/2011	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71						03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45						04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76						03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock
Phantom3/04D	\$ 1						03/01/2004	03/01/2007	Common Stock
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1 <u>(2)</u>	02/25/2005		A	2,560.543 (3)		02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting Owner Plante, Flauress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JONES CHARLES E 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			Senior Vice President				
Signatures							
David W. Whitehead, POA	02/28/2	005					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

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- * 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 performances shares paid out in cash, per the vesting and payout date approved by the Compensation Committee. The performance shares were not required to be reported at date of grant because the vesting is based in part on factors other than stock price.
- (2) 1 for 1
- (3) 2,133.786 shares are vested (i.e., non-forfeited) immediately. 426.7572 shares become vested (i.e., non-forfeited) on 3/1/2008.

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