#### DINDO KATHRYN W

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# FORM 4

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See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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 DINDO KATHRYN W 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) 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) Tal	able I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquire				ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities a conDisposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an	(D)	red (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		A	1,951.119 (1)	A	\$ 39.535	2,103.307	D		
Common Stock	02/25/2005		D	1,951.119 (1)	D	\$ 39.535	152.188	D		
Common Stock							1,343.8917	I	By Savings Plan	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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# $\label{lem:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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 Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.31					03/01/2004	03/01/2010	Common Stock	5,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 27.75					11/22/2004	11/22/2010	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.5					05/16/2005	05/16/2011	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 29.71					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	16,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.45					04/01/2003	04/01/2012	Common Stock	12,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 38.76					03/01/2005	03/01/2014	Common Stock	13,200
Phantom 3/02D	\$ 1					03/01/2002	03/01/2005	Common Stock	2,169.17
Phantom 3/03D	\$ 1					03/01/2003	03/01/2006	Common Stock	6,024.594

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DINDO KATHRYN W 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET

Vice President

**Signatures** 

AKRON, OH 44308

Edward J. Udovich, POA 02/28/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date
Person

## **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 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.

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