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See Instruction

1. Name and A	Address of Reporting DMAS A	Person *	Symbol		d Ticker or Trading E CORP/OH/ [PGR]	5. Relations Issuer	. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to ssuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Sheen all applicable)			
6300 WILS	SON MILLS ROA	AD	(Month/I 05/19/2	Day/Year) 2011		DirectX Office below)	er (give	title 10% below) ce President	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Dispo	osed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (Approximately Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	A) 5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned	es	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A)		5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactiomr Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(I)	
					or		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Couc ,	1 mount	(2)	\$			
Common	05/19/2011		M	7,152	A		116,335	D	
						11.2843			
						\$			
Common	05/19/2011		S	7,152	D	21.2845	109,183	D	
Common	03/19/2011		S	7,132	D	(1)	109,103	D	
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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
2002 Employee Option	\$ 11.2843 (2)	05/19/2011		M	7,152 (2)	(3)	12/31/2011	Common	7,152

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KING THOMAS A 6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143

Vice President

Signatures

David M. Coffey, by Power of Attorney

05/23/2011

**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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.250 to \$21.390, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to The Progressive Corporation, any security holder of The Progressive Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this Footnote 1.
- This option previously was reported as an option covering 6,808 shares at an exercise price of \$11.8556 per share, and it has been adjusted by the Board of Directors pursuant to the terms of The Progressive Corporation 1995 Incentive Plan, as approved by shareholders, in connection with the \$1.00 per Common Share extraordinary dividend paid on December 29, 2010 to shareholders of record on December 20, 2010.
- (3) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning January 1, 2005.

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