

# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or  
Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</b>  <b>CHODAK PAUL III</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle)  <b>AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER, 1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA</b>  (Street)  <b>COLUMBUS, OH 43215</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b>  <b>AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC [ AEP ]</b>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable)  <input type="checkbox"/> Director <span style="float:right"><input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</span> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>X</b> Officer (give title below) <span style="float:right"><input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)</span> <b>Executive Vice President</b>
<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>  <p align="center"><b>5/1/2019</b></p>		<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
<b>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	5/1/2019		M		461 (1)	A	\$83.67 (4)	9930	D	
Common Stock	5/1/2019		F		212	D	\$83.67 (4)	9718	D	
Common Stock	5/1/2019		D		249	D	\$83.67 (4)	9469	D	
Common Stock	5/1/2019		F		581 (2)	D	\$84.95 (5)	8888	D	
Common Stock	5/1/2019		F		536 (3)	D	\$84.95 (5)	8352	D	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	5/1/2019		M		461		5/1/2019	5/1/2019	Common Stock	461	(4)	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) A portion of Mr. Chodak's restricted stock units (461) that were granted 2/23/2016 vested on 5/1/2019. Upon vesting 212 restricted stock units were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability.
- (2) A portion of Mr. Chodak's restricted stock units (1258) that were granted 2/20/2017 vested on 5/1/2019. Upon vesting 581 restricted stock units were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability.
- (3) A portion of Mr. Chodak's restricted stock units (1161) that were granted 2/19/2018 vested on 5/1/2019. Upon vesting 536 restricted stock units were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability.
- (4) Value is based on the closing price of the stock.
- (5) Value is based on 20 day average stock closing price.

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>CHODAK PAUL III AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER 1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA</b>			<b>Executive Vice President</b>	

**Signatures**

/s/ Thomas G. Berkemeyer, Attorney-in-Fact for Paul Chodak, III

5/2/2019

—Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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