## 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. I	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Linginfelter Henry P					AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC [ AEP ]							_X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. I	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)						Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA					3/31/2024											
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
COLUMBUS, OH 43215											X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(0	City) (Sta	ate) (Zip	)											1 -8-		
			Table I - N	on-Der	ivat	ive Secur	ities Ac	quired,	Disp	posed o	f, or Bene	eficially Owne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. 1				Execution Date, if any (Instr. 8)			or (In	or Disposed of (Ď) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned ollowing Reported Transaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(I) (Instr.	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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)	Derivativ		Securities A) or f (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Date Title Number of Shares	Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	or Indirect								
Phantom Stock Units	\$0	3/31/2024		A		329.0	)7	<u>(1)</u>		<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	329.07	\$86.1 <sup>(2)</sup>	329.07	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Stock Units are paid to the director in cash or shares upon termination of service unless the director has elected to defer payment for a period that results in payment commencing not later than five years thereafter.
- (2) Was AEP Stock Price at the time of the transaction.

### Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Linginfelter Henry P								
1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA	X							
COLUMBUS, OH 43215								

### Signatures

/s/ David C. House, Attorney-in-Fact for Henry P. Linginfelter

4/2/2024

\*\*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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