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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Richard Oliver G III					AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC [AEP]														
(Last	t) (First	st) (Mi	ddle)			e of Earli	•	nsac	ction (1	MM/I	DD/YYYY)		Officer (giv	e title below	(r) Oth	ner (specify b	pelow)	
1 RIVERSI	DE PLAZ	ZA					12	2/31	1/202	22									
	(Str	reet)		4	. If A	mendme	nt, Date	Or	riginal	l File	d (MM/DI	D/YYYY)	6. Individual c	or Joint/G	roup Filing	(Check Appl	icable Line)	
COLUMBU	,	3215 tate) (Zip	o)										-	_X _ Form filed by Form filed by		ting Person One Reporting I	Person		
			Table I	- Non-Do	eriva	tive Secu	urities A	Acq	uired,	l, Dis	posed o	f, or Be	ene	ficially Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. I			2. Trans. Dat			3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		or	or Disposed of (D)			Fol	. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned ollowing Reported Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4) 6. Ownership Form: Form: Direct (D) Ownership						
							Code		V A	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price					or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
	Ta	ble II - Der	ivative S	Securitie	s Ber	neficially	Owned	d (<i>e</i> .	<i>.g.</i> , pu	uts, c	calls, wa	rrants,	op	otions, conver	tible secu	ırities)	•		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deem Execution Date, if an			5. Number of Derivative Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				ate Exercisable Expiration Date		7. Title and Securities U Derivative (Instr. 3 and		nderlying ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Security			Code	V	(A)			Date Exercis	sable 1	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect		
Phantom Stock Units (1)	\$0.0	12/31/2022		A		429.173	3 (<u>1)</u>		(2)).	<u>(2)</u>	Commo		429.173	\$94.95 (3)	10448.48	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Amounts shown represent value in AEP Stock Plan under the AEP Stock Unit Accumulation Plan for Non-Employee Directors. Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive the cash value of one share of AEP common stock.
- (2) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following termination of the reporting person's service on the Board. The reporting person may transfer the phantom stock in the AEP Stock Plan account into an alternative investment account at any time.
- (3) Was AEP Stock Price at the time of the transaction.

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Addre	9.0	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Addre	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
Richard Oliver G III										
1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA	X									
COLUMBUS, OH 43215										

Signatures

/s/ David C. House, Attorney-in-Fact for Oliver G. Richard, III

**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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