

FORM 4

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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)	
LEIDICH GARY R		FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) President of FENOC	
(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)			
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET		3/2/2006			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
AKRON, OH 44308		3/3/2006		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)					

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								51780.967	D	
Common Stock								250	I	By Daughter (Anne)
Common Stock								868.912	I	by Savings Plan

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				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$29.71							3/1/2004	3/1/2013	Common Stock	10125		10125	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$38.76							3/1/2005	3/1/2014	Common Stock	33375		33375	D	
Phantom 3/05D	\$1							2/25/2005	3/1/2008	Common Stock	7814.77		7814.77	D	
RSUP1	\$1							3/1/2008	3/1/2008	Common Stock	4192.4195		4192.4195	D	
RSUP4	\$1							3/1/2009	3/1/2009	Common Stock	3606		3606	D	
Phantom 3/06D	\$1 (1)	3/2/2006		A		8714.44 (2)		3/2/2006	3/2/2009	Common Stock	8714.144 (3)	\$48.93	8714.44	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) 1 for 1
- (2) 4,746 shares are vested (i.e. non-forfeited) immediately. 949 shares become vested (i.e. non-forfeited) on 3/1/2009.
- (3) Due to an administrative error, the total number of shares reported for the deferral was incorrect. The total number of shares being deferred is 8,714.144, of which 7,261.753 shares are already vested and 1,452.391 will vest over the next three years.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEIDICH GARY R 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308			President of FENOC	

Signatures

David W. Whitehead, POA

3/20/2006

 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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