

SCHNEIDER DONALD R  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SCHNEIDER DONALD R

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
(Street)

AKRON, OH 44308

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/03/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction 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	03/03/2008	03/03/2008	M		4,725	A	\$ 38.76
Common Stock	03/03/2008		A		1,750 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 68.52
Common Stock	03/03/2008		M		2,572.225 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 68.52
Common Stock	03/03/2008	03/03/2008	S		4,725 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$ 66.44
Common Stock	03/03/2008		F		2,019 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 68.52

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Common Stock    03/03/2008    03/03/2008    S    122,145<sup>(2)</sup>    D    \$ 66.8 0    I    Savings Plan

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. Transaction 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 (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title of Underlying Security (Instr. 3)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title
Phantom / Retirement	\$ 1 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/03/2008		A	6,039.168 <sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(5)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup>	Common Stock
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1	03/03/2008		M	6,039.168	02/25/2008    03/01/2008	Common Stock
Phantom 3/06D	\$ 1					03/02/2006    03/02/2009	Common Stock
Phantom 3/07D	\$ 1					03/01/2007    03/01/2010	Common Stock
Phantom 3/08D	\$ 1					03/01/2008    03/01/2011	Common Stock
RSUD2	\$ 1					03/01/2010    03/01/2010	Common Stock
RSUD5	\$ 1					03/01/2011    03/01/2011	Common Stock
RSUP1	\$ 1	03/03/2008		M	2,572.225	03/01/2008    03/01/2008	Common Stock
RSUP10	\$ 1 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/03/2008	03/03/2008	A	4,783 <sup>(6)</sup>	03/03/2011    03/03/2011	Common Stock
RSUP4	\$ 1					03/01/2009    03/01/2009	Common Stock
RSUP6	\$ 1					03/01/2010    03/01/2010	Common Stock
Stock Options (Right to	\$ 38.76	03/03/2008	03/03/2008	M	4,725	03/01/2008    03/01/2014	Common Stock

