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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(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ZRNO JOHN M

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]

(Check all applicable)

221 EAST FOURTH STREET

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

07/29/2011

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities A	cquired, Disposed	d of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion OnAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) of (E) 4 and (A) or))	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)
Common Stock							25,000	I	By Family Limited Partnership
Common Stock	07/29/2011		J <u>(1)</u>	2,270	D	(1)	40,385	D	

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Buy (4)	\$ 9.35					01/02/2002	01/02/2012	Common Stock	5,300	
Option to Buy (3)	\$ 6.69					04/29/2002	04/29/2012	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (4)	\$ 3.715					01/02/2003	01/02/2013	Common Stock	5,300	
Option to Buy (3)	\$ 4.51					04/29/2003	04/29/2013	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (3)	\$ 4.245					04/23/2004	04/23/2014	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (3)	\$ 3.87					04/29/2005	04/29/2015	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (3)	\$ 4.195					04/28/2006	04/28/2016	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (4)	\$ 4.62					01/03/2007	01/03/2017	Common Stock	48,400	
Option to Buy (5)	\$ 5.31					05/03/2007	05/03/2017	Common Stock	9,000	
Phantom Shares	<u>(6)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	6,000	
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ZRNO JOHN M
221 EAST FOURTH STREET X
CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Signatures

Christopher J. Wilson, Attorney-in-fact for John M. Zrno

08/02/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
 - On May 3, 2011, each of the Company's non-employee directors was granted 12,110 restricted shares under the 2007 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors. It was subsequently determined that the number of full value shares available to be granted under the
- (1) above-referenced plan was insufficient to grant that number of shares to each non-employee director. Accordingly, the Company's board of directors determined that each non-employee director would rescind 2,270 of the previously granted shares to stay within plan limits for full value shares.
- (2) Shares held by Zrno Family Limited Partnership
- (3) Option shares granted under the 1997 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
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- (4) 1997 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan, reporting person elected to defer a percentage of his annual retainer fee and per meeting fees in exchange for options.
- (5) Option shares granted under the 2007 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (6) One for one conversion.
- (7) Phantom shares are payable in cash following retirement or termination of the reporting person's affiliation with the Company.

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