EATON VANCE CORP

Form 5

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NELSON JOHN M Sym							. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to ssuer			
(Last)	(First) (Mid	(Month/D	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2004				(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
THE EATON BUILDING,Â	VANCE À 255 STATE STI	REET				be	low)	below)		
	endment, Date Original 6. hth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)					
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(City)	(State) (Zi	p) Table	e I - Non-Deriva	ative Secu	rities .	Acquir	ed, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Eaton Vance Corp.				Amount	` ′	Price				
Non-voting Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	8,000	D	Â	
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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. 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 and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.06	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/18/2006	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	5,962
Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.78	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/17/2009	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	3,374
Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.13	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/15/2010	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	3,686
Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.65	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/21/2011	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	6,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.1	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/20/2012	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	6,000
	\$ 36.27	Â	Â	3	Â	Â	(1)	12/19/2013		6,000

Option (right to buy)

Eaton
Vance
Corp.
Non-voting
Common
Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NELSON JOHN M THE EATON VANCE BUILDING 255 STATE STREET BOSTON, MAÂ 021092617

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Signatures

By: Katie McManus, Attorney in Fact

12/14/2004

**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).
- (1) These options vest over a 4 year period at 25% per year.

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Remarks:

Mr. Nelson's last Board meeting was Â December 2003. Â He is no longer a reporting person.

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