LEIDICH GARY R

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# FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEIDICH GARY R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
								(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					•				
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2005				- - l	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President of FENOC				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
AKRON, O	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				-	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne								ally Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y	any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquirec Disposec (Instr. 3,	l (A) or l of (D)	So B O Fo R T	Amount of ecurities seneficially owned ollowing eported transaction(s) firstr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock							5	0,000	D			
Common Stock							2.	50	I	By Daughter (Anne)		
Common Stock							7:	25.05	I	by Savings Plan		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.												
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7. Title and Amount o

5. Number of

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed of (D)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, a 5)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Phantom 3/05D	\$ 1 <u>(1)</u>	03/03/2005		A	2,481.95 (2)		02/25/2005	03/01/2008	Common Stock	2,481.

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LEIDICH GARY R 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET AKRON, OH 44308

President of FENOC

### **Signatures**

1. Title of 2.

David W. Whitehead, POA 03/04/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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)** 1 for 1
- (2) 1,985.56 shares are vested (i.e., not forfeited) immediately. 496.39 shares will become vested (i.e., not forfeited) on March 1, 2008.

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