

FIRSTENERGY CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Kleisner Theodore J

(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)  
02/22/2016

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)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D) Price  | 11,339  | I  | By Trust                          |

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)**

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| 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) | 8.               |                 |              |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | (A)  | (D)   | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Phantom Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>         | <u>(2)</u>   | 02/22/2016                           |  | A                              |   | 1,017  |   | <u>(3)</u>       | <u>(3)</u>      | Common Stock | 1,017                      |
| Phantom Stock                              | <u>(2)</u> <u>(5)</u>                                  |                                      |  |                                |   |  |   | <u>(6)</u>       | <u>(6)</u>      | Common Stock | 536.745                    |
| Phantom Stock Units                        | <u>(2)</u>   |                                      |  |                                |   |  |   | <u>(7)</u>       | <u>(7)</u>      | Common Stock | 9,483.611                  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Kleisner Theodore J<br>76 SOUTH MAIN STREET<br>AKRON, OH 44308 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Jennifer L. Geyer,  
attorney-in-fact

02/24/2016

        \*\*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) Represents shares paid quarterly for director compensation under the 2015 Incentive Compensation Plan and deferred pursuant to the Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors.
- (2) 1 for 1
- (3) In accordance with the terms and conditions of the FirstEnergy Corp. Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors.
- (4) Includes phantom stock units acquired through dividend reinvestments.
- (5) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of FirstEnergy Corp. common stock.
- (6) Phantom stock is paid in cash in accordance with Allegheny Energy, Inc. Amended and Restated Revised Plan for Deferral of Compensation of Directors. Includes phantom stock acquired through dividend reinvestments.
- (7) Phantom stock units are paid in shares in accordance with Allegheny Energy, Inc. Amended and Restated Revised Plan for Deferral of Compensation of Directors. Includes phantom stock units acquired through dividend reinvestments.

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