#### JONES CHARLES E

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### FORM 4

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|---|---------|-------------------------------|--|-----------------|---------------------------------|--|---|-------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JONES CHARLES E |         |                               | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE] |                 |                                 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |   |             |  |
| (Last)  | (First) | (Middle)                      |  | Earliest Tr     |                                 | (Cl  | neck all applicabl                        | e)          |  |
| 76 SOUTH MAIN STREET                                      |         |                               | (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/19/2019   |                 |                                 | _X Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Pres. & Chief Exec. Officer      |   |             |  |
| (Street) AKRON, OH 44308                                  |         |                               | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                     |                 |                                 | 6. Individual or   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check |             |  |
|   |         |                               |  |                 |                                 | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |             |  |
| (City)  | (State) | (Zip)                         | Table  | e I - Non-D     | Perivative Securities A         | cquired, Disposed  | l of, or Beneficia                        | lly Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security                                    |         | n Date 2A. De<br>Year) Execut |  | 3.<br>Transacti | 4. Securities onAcquired (A) or | 5. Amount of Securities  | 6. Ownership Form: Direct                 | 7. Nature o |  |

| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed         | 3.         | 4. Securities       | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Security   | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transactio | nAcquired (A) or    | Securities   | Form: Direct | Indirect     |
| (Instr. 3) |                     | any                | Code       | Disposed of (D)     | Beneficially | (D) or       | Beneficial   |
|            |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Owned        | Indirect (I) | Ownership    |

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price

Common 251,345.3 (1) Stock

Common By Savings 22,120.192 (2) I Stock Plan

Code V Amount (D)

By Wife's Common 9,935.825 (2) Savings Stock 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercis<br>Expiration Dat<br>(Month/Day/Y | e                  | 7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and | Se     |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                 | I<br>S |
| RSUC16  | (3)   | 02/19/2019                           |   | A                                      | 148,386.501<br>(4)  | 03/01/2019  | 03/01/2019         | Common<br>Stock                       |        |
| RSUS16  | (3)   | 02/19/2019                           |   | A                                      | 296,774.012<br>(4)  | 03/01/2019  | 03/01/2019         | Common<br>Stock                       |        |
| Phantom /<br>Retirement                             | (3)   |                                      |   |  |   | <u>(5)</u>  | (5)                | Common<br>Stock                       |        |
| Phantom<br>3/05d<br>Retirement                      | (3)   |                                      |   |  |   | <u>(5)</u>  | (5)                | Common<br>Stock                       |        |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                | \$ 37.75  |                                      |   |  |   | 12/31/2015  | 02/25/2021         | Common<br>Stock                       |        |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                             | Relationships |           |                             |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |  |  |  |
| JONES CHARLES E<br>76 SOUTH MAIN STREET<br>AKRON, OH 44308 | X             |           | Pres. & Chief Exec. Officer |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

Daniel M. Dunlap, attorney-in-fact

02/21/2019

\*\*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) Balance includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.
- (2) FE's 401(k) Savings Plan includes a unitized fund invested in FE stock, in which the reporting person may invest, and includes dividend reinvestment and company match features. The number of shares reported as indirectly held in the 401(k) Plan in this row is an estimate

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of the number of shares of FE's common stock held in the unitized stock fund and allocated to the reporting person's account as of January 31, 2019.

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  - The Board approved performance results for the performance-adjusted stock based restricted stock unit grant (RSUS16) and the
- (4) performance-adjusted cash based restricted stock unit grant (RSUC16) made in 2016 for the 2016-2018 performance cycle, and these awards will vest on March 1, 2019.
  - This holding reflects phantom stock payable in cash upon retirement or other termination of employment under the FirstEnergy Corp.
- (5) Amended and Restated Executive Deferred Compensation Plan. Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
- (6) Includes stock units acquired through dividend reinvestment.

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