

Simpson Thomas E
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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 *
 Simpson Thomas E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 221 EAST FOURTH STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/28/2019

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Chief Operating Officer

CINCINNATI, OH 45202
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock <u>(1)</u> | 01/28/2019 | | F | D | \$ 8.35 | 30,758 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(2)</u> | 01/31/2019 | | A | A | \$ 8.34 | 40,260 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(3)</u> | 01/31/2019 | | F | D | \$ 8.34 | 36,878 | D |
| Common Stock <u>(4)</u> | 01/31/2019 | | A | A | \$ 8.34 | 74,828 | D |

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 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Simpson Thomas E 221 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202 | | | Chief Operating Officer | |

Signatures

Christopher J. Wilson, Attorney in Fact for Thomas E. Simpson
02/04/2019

__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) Common shares surrendered to cover tax liabilities upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (2) Common shares issued upon vesting of performance units granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan.
- (3) Common shares surrendered to cover tax liabilities upon vesting of performance units.
- (4) Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2017 Long Term Incentive Plan. The RSUs vest on the third anniversary of the grant date. Each RSU constitutes the right to receive one share of Cincinnati Bell common stock upon vesting.

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