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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FEARON RICHARD H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

EATON CORP [ETN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Month/Day/Year)

EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR 03/15/2008

(State)

(First)

AVE.

(Last)

(City)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) Exec VP-CFO & Planning Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Shares

63,820

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 orDerivative 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)	
	ŗ			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number or Shares
Phantom Shares	\$ 0	03/15/2008		A	11,887.187		(2)	(2)	Common Shares	11,887.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FEARON RICHARD H EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44114

Exec VP-CFO & Planning Officer

Signatures

/s/Kathleen S. O'Connor, as Attorney-in-Fact

03/18/2008

**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).
- These Phantom Share Units were acquired by the reporting person's deferral in the deferred incentive compensation plans maintained by the Company of bonus and long-term incentive compensation earned during 2007. The number of Phantom Share Units acquired is based on the average of the mean prices for Eaton Common Shares for the twenty trading days immediately following the end of the period in which the compensation was earned.
- (2) This field is not applicable.

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