**EATON CORP** Form 4 August 17, 2009

## FORM 4

## **OMB APPROVAL**

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CUTLER ALEXANDER M			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EATON CORP [ETN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR			08/13/2009	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
AVE.				Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
CLEVELAN	ND, OH 4411	4		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative S	Secui	ities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securition of Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of ( and 5	D)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Shares	08/13/2009		M	28,400	A	\$ 30.76	315,040	D	
Common Shares	08/13/2009		M	32,789	A	\$ 30.76	347,829	D	
Common Shares	08/13/2009		M	51,731	A	\$ 30.76	399,560	D	
Common Shares	08/13/2009		S	28,400	D	\$ 55.1478 (1)	371,160	D	
Common Shares	08/13/2009		S	32,789	D	\$ 54.9891	338,371	D	

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Common Shares	08/13/2009	S	51,731	D	(1) \$ 54.9982 (1)	286,640	D	
Common Shares						17,386.004	I	by trustee of ESP (2)
Common Shares						1,000	I	by spouse $(3)$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 30.76	08/13/2009		M		28,400	07/25/2000	01/25/2010	Common Shares	28,400
Stock Option	\$ 30.76	08/13/2009		M		32,789	07/25/2000	01/25/2010	Common Shares	32,789
Stock Option	\$ 30.76	08/13/2009		M		51,731	07/25/2000	01/25/2010	Common Shares	51,731

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Troporting O Water Tumb / Trum Coo	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CUTLER ALEXANDER M EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44114	X		Chairman and CEO					

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## **Signatures**

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

08/17/2009

\*\*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).
  - Price reported constitutes the average weighted price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$54.57 \$55.275.
- (1) The reporting person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) These shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.
- (3) These shares are held in an Ohio Uniform Gifts for Minors account for a child of which Mr. Cutler's spouse is the custodian.

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