

EATON CORP
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR AVE.

(Street)

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EATON CORP [ETN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/08/2010

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)
VC and CFO & Planning Officer

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |
| Common Shares | 03/08/2010 | | M | | 13,248 | A | \$ 42.21 |
| Common Shares | 03/08/2010 | | S | | 13,248 | D | \$ 72.7223 <u>(1)</u> |
| Common Shares | 03/09/2010 | | M | | 14,648 | A | \$ 42.21 |
| Common Shares | 03/09/2010 | | S | | 14,648 | D | \$ 72.7 <u>(2)</u> |
| Common Shares | 03/10/2010 | | M | | 12,000 | A | \$ 34.65 |

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Common Shares 03/10/2010 S 12,000 D \$ 72.3 100,327 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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option | \$ 42.21 | 03/08/2010 | | M | 13,248 | 04/23/2003 | 04/23/2012 | Common Shares | 13,248 |
| Stock Option | \$ 42.21 | 03/09/2010 | | M | 14,648 | 04/23/2003 | 04/23/2012 | Common Shares | 14,648 |
| Stock Option | \$ 34.65 | 03/10/2010 | | M | 12,000 | 02/25/2004 | 02/25/2013 | Common Shares | 12,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| FEARON RICHARD H EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44114 | VC and CFO & Planning Officer |

Signatures

/s/Kathleen S. O'Connor, as Attorney-in-Fact 03/10/2010

**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 \$72.70 - \$72.805.

(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.

Price reported constitutes the average weighted price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$72.70 - \$72.72.

(2) 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.

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