

SMITH WINTHROP H JR  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
SMITH WINTHROP H JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

THE EATON VANCE  
BUILDING, 255 STATE STREET

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 021092617

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/03/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
11/04/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)<br>Code V Amount (D) Price                             |   |  |  |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
|                                 |                           |                                      |                                   |                     |                                    |  |   |

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| (Instr. 3)            | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable          | Expiration Date           | Title                                     | Am or Num of S |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------------|---------------------------|---|----------------|
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 21.99                     | 11/03/2008       | A          | 5,800   |      |   |     |     | 11/03/2008                | 11/03/2018                | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 5,             |
| Phantom Stock         | <u>(1)</u>                   | 11/03/2008       | A          | <u>2,273</u><br><u>(2)</u>                              |      |   |     |     | 11/03/2010 <sup>(1)</sup> | 11/03/2010 <sup>(1)</sup> | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 2,             |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 18.99                     |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <sup>(3)</sup>            | 04/14/2014                | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 12             |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.39                     |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <sup>(3)</sup>            | 12/17/2014                | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 12             |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 27.58                     |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | <sup>(3)</sup>            | 12/16/2015                | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 8,             |
| Option (right to buy) | \$ 30.11                     |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 11/01/2006                | 11/01/2016                | Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock | 8,             |
| Option (right to      | \$ 48.39                     |                  |            |   |      |   |     |     | 11/01/2007                | 11/01/2017                | Eaton Vance                               | 6,             |

buy)

Corp.  
Non-voting  
Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SMITH WINTHROP H JR<br>THE EATON VANCE BUILDING<br>255 STATE STREET<br>BOSTON, MA 021092617 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

By: Katie McManus, Attorney-  
in- fact

11/04/2008

\_\_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).
- (1) Each share of Phantom Stock is the economic equivalent of one share of non-voting common stock. The shares of Phantom Stock become payable in cash at the earlier of the second anniversary of the grant date or the date of the non-employee director's termination.  
On November 3, 2008 a Phantom Stock Award was granted. The Phantom Stock Award is a formula grant with an equivalent value of \$50,000, with the number of units of Phantom Stock actually awarded based on the FMV of a share of Company Non-Voting Stock on the grant date. On November 3, 2008 the FMV was \$21.99 which calculated to 2,273 shares. On this date only 2,200 shares were reported. This amendment reflects the Phantom Stock Grant with an additional 73 shares to correct the original award.
  - (2) On November 3, 2008 a Phantom Stock Award was granted. The Phantom Stock Award is a formula grant with an equivalent value of \$50,000, with the number of units of Phantom Stock actually awarded based on the FMV of a share of Company Non-Voting Stock on the grant date. On November 3, 2008 the FMV was \$21.99 which calculated to 2,273 shares. On this date only 2,200 shares were reported. This amendment reflects the Phantom Stock Grant with an additional 73 shares to correct the original award.
  - (3) These options vest over a 4 year period at 25% per year.

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