**EATON CORP** 

Form 4

February 22, 2005

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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**OMB APPROVAL** 

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **SWEETNAM JAMES E** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

EATON CORP [ETN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR 02/17/2005

(Street)

below) SrVPGroupExec - Truck Group

**AVE** 

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

Person

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	10,150	A	\$ 38.05	36,076 (2)	D	
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	12,360	A	\$ 36.47	48,436 (2)	D	
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	7,500	D	\$ 68.65	40,936 (2)	D	
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	200	D	\$ 68.74	40,736 (2)	D	
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	300	D	\$ 68.75	40,436 (2)	D	

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Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	2,400	D	\$ 68.76	38,036 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	1,500	D	\$ 68.77	36,536 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	1,600	D	\$ 68.78	34,936 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	200	D	\$ 68.79	34,736 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	5,300	D	\$ 68.85	29,436 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	100	D	\$ 68.86	29,336 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	100	D	\$ 68.95	29,236 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	268	D	\$ 68.99	28,968 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	300	D	\$ 69	28,668 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	29,040	A	\$ 40.6	57,708 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	14,520	A	\$ 34.65	72,228 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	6,800	A	\$ 35.74	79,028 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M	2,640	A	\$ 36.47	81,668 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	14,300	D	\$ 68.5	67,368 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	400	D	\$ 68.61	66,968 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	9,800	D	\$ 68.65	57,168 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	1,600	D	\$ 68.66	55,568 (2)	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	18,100	D	\$ 68.7	37,468 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	1,200	D	\$ 68.72	36,268 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	3,100	D	\$ 68.73	33,168 (2)	D
	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	300	D		32,868 (2)	D

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Common Shares						\$ 68.74			
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	1,600	D	\$ 68.75	31,268 (2)	D	
Common Shares	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	S	2,600	D	\$ 68.71	28,668 (2)	D	
Common Shares							301.888	I	by trustee of ESP

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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 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option	\$ 38.05	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		10,150	07/27/1998(3)	01/27/2008	Common Shares	10,150
Stock Option	\$ 36.47	02/17/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		12,360	02/27/2002(4)	02/27/2011	Common Shares	9,618
Stock Option	\$ 36.47	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		2,640	02/27/2002(4)	02/27/2011	Common Shares	2,640
Stock Option	\$ 40.6	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		29,040	02/26/2003(4)	02/26/2012	Common Shares	29,040
Stock Option	\$ 34.65	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		14,520	02/25/2004(4)	02/25/2013	Common Shares	14,520
Stock Option	\$ 35.74	02/18/2005	<u>(1)</u>	M		6,800	07/02/2002(4)	07/02/2011	Common Shares	6,800

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners 3

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SWEETNAM JAMES E EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE CLEVELAND, OH 44114

SrVPGroupExec - Truck Group

## **Signatures**

/s/ James E. Sweetnam, by Claudia J. Taller as attorney-in-fact.

02/22/2005

\*\*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) This field is not applicable.
- (2) Certain of these shares represent restricted shares issued under an Eaton Corporation stock plan and are subject to risk of forfeiture.
- (3) These options are exercisable in their entirety 6 months from the date of grant.
- (4) Thirty-three percent (33%) of these options become exercisable on the first and second anniversaries of the date granted and thirty-four percent (34%) on the third anniversary of the date granted.

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