FIRSTENERGY CORP
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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549
FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

( ) Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
   Keough, Kevin J.
   76 South Main Street
   Akron, OH 44308
   USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   FirstEnergy Corp. (FE)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
   12/2000 R1
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
   01/09/2001
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
   ( ) Director ( ) 10% Owner
   (X) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other (specify below)
   Vice President
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   (X) 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	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amou Secu Bene Owne End Mont
		Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	
Common Stock	12/01/2000	J (1)	V	39.577	A	$1.000000	
Common Stock	12/01/2000	J (1)	V	48.321	A	$1.000000	3284.02

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8
						Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	
	Conversion or Exercise			Number of Derivative Securities	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		Amount

Title of Derivative Security	Price of Derivative Security	Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code	V	Acquired(A)	Disposed(D)	(Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares	P D S
Stock Options (Right to buy)	$27.75	11/22/2000	A	V	20000		11/22/2004	11/22/2010	Common Stock	20000	$
Phantom 3/01	$0	12/29/2000	D (2)	V	20000	54			Common Stock	54.4262	$
Dividend Equivalent Rights	$1	12/01/2000	D (1)	V	20000	40			Common Stock	39.577	$
Dividend Equivalent Rights	$1	12/01/2000	D (1)	V	20000	48			Common Stock	48.321	$

Explanation of Responses:
(1) Dividend Equivalent Rights reported in error. Restricted shares were reinvested through the Dividend Reinvestment Program and are reflected on Table 1 as Common Stock.
(2) Shares allocated to Phantom 3/01 were reported in error and are actually reflected in the totals under Phantom - 2000.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ Kevin J. Keough

DATE
01/10/2001