

McGill James W  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
McGill James W

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR AVE.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/22/2010

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

EVP - Human Resources

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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 (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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Shares	10/22/2010		S		4,000	D	\$ 87.88 (1)
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M		5,544	A	\$ 34.65
Common Shares	10/22/2010		S		5,544	D	\$ 87.79 (2)
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M		6,538	A	\$ 40.6
	10/22/2010		S		6,538	D	40,821

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Common Shares						\$ 87.78 (3)			
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M	11,258	A	\$ 36.47	52,079	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		S	11,258	D	\$ 87.81 (4)	40,821	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		F	1,136 (5)	D	\$ 87.92	39,685	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		F	1,137 (5)	D	\$ 87.9	38,548	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		F	1,125 (5)	D	\$ 87.95	37,423	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M	2,856	A	\$ 34.65	40,279	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M	2,462	A	\$ 40.6	42,741	D	
Common Shares	10/22/2010		M	2,741	A	\$ 36.47	45,482	D	
Common Shares							4,250.35 (6)	I	by trustee of ESP

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	\$ 36.47	10/22/2010		M	11,258	02/27/2002	02/27/2011	Common Shares	11,258

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Stock Option	\$ 36.47	10/22/2010	M	2,741	02/27/2002	02/27/2011	Common Shares	2,741
Stock Option	\$ 40.6	10/22/2010	M	6,538	02/26/2003	02/26/2012	Common Shares	6,538
Stock Option	\$ 40.6	10/22/2010	M	2,462	02/26/2003	02/26/2012	Common Shares	2,462
Stock Option	\$ 34.65	10/22/2010	M	5,544	02/25/2004	02/25/2013	Common Shares	5,544
Stock Option	\$ 34.65	10/22/2010	M	2,856	02/25/2004	02/25/2013	Common Shares	2,856

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McGill James W EATON CENTER 1111 SUPERIOR AVE. CLEVELAND, OH 44114			EVP - Human Resources	

## Signatures

/s/Kathleen S. O'Connor, as  
Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 10/26/2010

\*\*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 \$87.87 - \$87.89.
- (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 \$87.78 - \$87.81.
- (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.
- Price reported constitutes the average weighted price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$87.77 - \$87.83.
- (3) 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 \$87.81 - \$87.845.
- (4) 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.
  - (5) These shares were delivered to the issuer to pay for the applicable option exercise price.
  - (6) These shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.

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