

Moran Thomas E.  
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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 \*  
Moran Thomas E.

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 AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/21/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr VP and Secretary

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Shares	02/22/2012		M		247 A \$ 0	D	
Common Shares	02/22/2012		F		90 <sup>(1)</sup> D \$ 52.24	D	
Common Shares	02/22/2012		F		91 <sup>(2)</sup> D \$ 52.24	D	
Common Shares					600	I	by spouse
Common Shares					152.309 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	by trustee of ESP



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- (1) These shares were delivered to the issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain restricted stock units.
- (2) These shares were delivered to the issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain shares of restricted stock.
- (3) These shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.
- (4) Thirty-three percent (33%) of these options become exercisable on the first and second anniversary of the date granted and thirty-four percent (34%) on the third anniversary of the date granted.
- (5) This field is not applicable.

These restricted stock units vest as follows: thirty-three percent (33%) of the total shares granted vest on the first and second anniversary

- (6) of the date of the grant and the remaining thirty-four percent (34%) of the total shares granted vest on the third anniversary of the date of the grant.

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