

FORD WILLIAM CLAY
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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 *
FORD WILLIAM CLAY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FORD MOTOR COMPANY, ONE
AMERICAN ROAD

(Street)

DEARBORN, MI 48126

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FORD MOTOR CO [F]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/04/2005

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	03/04/2005		P	2,669 A \$ 12.55	8,078,227	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value					167,248	I	By Spouse <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value					1,382,162	I	By Voting Trust <u>(2)</u>

Class B Stock, \$0.01 par value	192,254	I	By Spouse <u>(1)</u>
Class B Stock, \$0.01 par value	4,963,276	I	By Voting Trust <u>(2)</u>

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Ford Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>					<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FORD WILLIAM CLAY FORD MOTOR COMPANY ONE AMERICAN ROAD DEARBORN, MI 48126	X			

Signatures

s/Kathryn S. Lamping,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/08/2005

__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) I disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares owned by my wife.

I am one of five trustees of the voting trust. In said voting trust are 1,382,162 shares of Common Stock and 4,963,276 shares of Class B

(2) Stock which are held for my sole benefit. I disclaim beneficial ownership of any other shares of Common Stock or Class B Stock held in said voting trust.

These Ford Stock Units were acquired under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors. In general, these

(3) Ford Stock Units will be converted and distributed to me, without payment, in cash, on January 10th of the year following termination of Board service, based upon the then current market value of a share of Common Stock.

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