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REPORTING OWNER

ALEXANDER ANTHONY J

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C/O FIRSTENERGY CORP

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ISSUER

FIRSTENERGY CORP

CIK: **1031296** | IRS No.: **341843785** | State of Incorporation: **OH** | Fiscal Year End: **1231**

SIC: **4911** Electric services

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ALEXANDER ANTHONY J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRSTENERGY CORP [FE]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ____ Director _____ 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) Pres. & Chief Exec. Officer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/18/2011					
76 SOUTH MAIN STREET			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street)								
AKRON, OH 44308								
(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 Stock	10/18/2011		G	V	80,000 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$ 0	278,454.497	D	
Common Stock	10/18/2011		G	V	80,000 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 0	80,000	I	By Children
Common Stock	10/18/2011		G	V	80,000	D	\$ 0	198,454.497	D	
Common Stock								30,809.994	I	By Savings Plan Trust
Common Stock								103,990.069	I	GRAT

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction involved gifts of securities by the reporting person to his children, who share reporting person's household. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

Signatures

Edward J. Udovich, POA

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/07/2011

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all persons by these present that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Rhonda S. Ferguson, Daniel M. Dunlap, Jacqueline S. Cooper and Edward J. Udovich, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney in fact to:

(1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or employee of FirstEnergy Corp. and/or any of its subsidiaries and affiliates (referred to as the "Company"), as applicable, Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Section 16") and Form 144 ("Form 144") pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933 ("Rule 144") and the rules thereunder;

(2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned that may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Forms 3, 4, 5 or 144 and file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and

(3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney in fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by the undersigned; it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney in fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney in fact may approve in such attorney in fact's reasonable discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys in fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the

undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 or Rule 144.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, 5 and 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys in fact. Additionally, this Power of Attorney revokes any and all previous Power of Attorney forms for this same purpose which was entered into by the undersigned.

This Power of Attorney shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the State of Ohio, regardless of the law that might be applied under principles of conflict of laws.

The undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 24th day of May, 2011.

/s/Anthony J. Alexander _____
Anthony J. Alexander

State of Ohio)
) ss:
County of Summit)

The foregoing Power of Attorney was acknowledged before me this 24th day of May, 2011, by Anthony J. Alexander.

/s/ Susie M. Hoisten _____
Susie M. Hoisten, Notary Public
Residence ? Summit County
State Wide Jurisdiction, Ohio
My Commission Expires December 9, 2011