**EATON CORP** Form 4

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# FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SWEETNAM JAMES E |           |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  |  |  |
|--|-----------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
|  |           |          | EATON CORP [ETN]                                   | (Check all applicable)  |  |  |  |
| (Last)   | (First)   | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                    |   |  |  |  |
| EATON CENTER, 1111 SUPERIOR<br>AVE                         |           |          | (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/25/2006                     | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SrVPGroupExec - Truck Group |  |  |  |
|  | (Street)  |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check   |  |  |  |
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| (City)                               | (State) (                               | Zip) Tabl   | e I - Non-D                             | erivative S                              | Secur | ities Acq   | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|-------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securition(A) or Dis<br>(Instr. 3, 4) | spose | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Shares                     | 02/25/2006                              | <u>(1)</u>  | F                                       | 480 (2)                                  | D     | \$<br>70.55 | 34,368 (3)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Shares                     | 02/26/2006                              | <u>(1)</u>  | F                                       | 639 (2)                                  | D     | \$<br>70.55 | 33,729 (3)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Shares                     |   |   |   |  |       |             | 308.373 <u>(4)</u>   | I  | by trustee<br>of ESP  |

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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 | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Titl | e and    | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onNumber   | Expiration Da | ate         | Amou    | nt of    | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/   | Year)       | Under   | lying    | Security    | Secui  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e             |             | Securi  | ities    | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |               |             | (Instr. | 3 and 4) |             | Owne   |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |               |             |         |          |             | Follo  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |               |             |         |          |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |               |             |         |          |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |               |             |         |          |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |               |             |         |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |               |             |         |          |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |             |         | A        |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |               |             |         | Amount   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date          | Expiration  | TC:41   | or       |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable   | Date        | Title   | Number   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | G 1 17     | (A) (D)    |               |             |         | of       |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |               |             |         | Shares   |             |        |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                 |       |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |  |  |  |  |
| SWEETNAM JAMES E               |               |           |                 |       |  |  |  |  |
| EATON CENTER                   |               |           | SrVPGroupExec - |       |  |  |  |  |
| 1111 SUPERIOR AVE              |               |           | Truck Group     |       |  |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

/s/ Anthony M. Smits as attorney-in-fact

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

02/28/2006 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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) This field is not applicable.
- (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) Certain of these shares represent restricted shares issued under an Eaton Corporation stock plan and are subject to risk of forfeiture.
- (4) These shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.

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