CASSIDY JOHN F

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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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CASSIDY JOHN F Issuer Symbol CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 221 EAST FOURTH STREET 02/29/2008 below) President and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **CINCINNATI 45202** Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Owned (D) or Ownership (Instr. 8) Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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A

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65,077

51,484

92,816

220,725 A

By 401k

Plan

28,383.195

630,212

578,728

799,453

706,637

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Buy	\$ 13.155					01/02/1999	01/02/2008	Common Stock	6,000
Option to Buy	\$ 16.75					01/04/2000	01/04/2009	Common Stock	57,300
Option to Buy	\$ 18.6875					08/20/2000	08/20/2009	Common Stock	20,000
Option to Buy	\$ 16.7813					09/17/2001	09/17/2009	Common Stock	200,000
Option to Buy	\$ 35.9688					01/03/2001	01/03/2010	Common Stock	15,000
Option to Buy	\$ 23.5313					05/23/2001	05/23/2010	Common Stock	400,000
Option to Buy	\$ 22.8438					01/02/2002	01/02/2011	Common Stock	80,000
Option to Buy	\$ 9.645					12/04/2002	12/04/2011	Common Stock	400,000
	\$ 3.48					12/05/2003	12/05/2012		600,000

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Option to Buy				Common Stock	
Option to Buy	\$ 5.655	12/04/2004	12/04/2013	Common Stock	801,000
Option to Buy	\$ 3.7	12/03/2005	12/03/2014	Common Stock	666,100
Option to Buy	\$ 3.995	12/01/2005	12/01/2015	Common Stock	425,000
Option to Buy	\$ 3.49	01/27/2007	01/27/2016	Common Stock	85,000
Option to Buy	\$ 4.735	12/08/2007	12/08/2016	Common Stock	574,350
Option to Buy	\$ 4.91	12/07/2008(7)	12/07/2017	Common Stock	559,355

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CASSIDY JOHN F 221 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI 45202	X		President and CEO			

Signatures

Christopher J. Wilson by Power of Attorney for John F.
Cassidy

03/04/2008

**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) Restricted common shares forfeited upon completion of 2005-2007 performance cycle under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (2) Surrender of previously granted restricted shares under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan to cover tax liabilities upon lapse of restrictions.
- (3) Common shares issued upon vesting of performance units granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.

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Surrender of common shares to cover tax liabilities upon vesting of performance units granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.

- (5) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (6) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (7) 3-year vesting schedule: 28% vest one year from grant date; 3% vest each month thereafter for the remaining 24 months.

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