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	FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549						OMMISSION	OMB Number:	3235-0287		
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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
1. Name and BYRNES		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 201 EAST FOURTH STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)07/06/2005					_X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below)			
	(Street)	Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)				int/Group Filing(Check one Reporting Person					
CINCINN	ATI, OH 45202							Form filed by M Person	Iore than One	Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	ecuriti	es Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Benefic	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securities A onor Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an Amount	of (D)	red (A) Price	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)	
Common Stock	07/06/2005			А	3,950.338	A	\$ 4.43	28,120.887	I	By Deferred Compensation Plan (1)	

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)

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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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 5.53					08/01/2003	08/01/2013	Common Stock	25,000	
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 4.245					04/23/2004	04/23/2014	Common Stock	9,000	
Option to Buy (2)	\$ 3.87					04/29/2005	04/29/2015	Common Stock	9,000	
Phantom Shares (3)	<u>(4)</u>					(5)	(5)	Common Stock	6,000	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BYRNES BRUCE L 201 EAST FOURTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202	Х						
Signatures							
Amy Collins by Power of Attorn Byrnes		07/08/2005					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting		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).
- Under the terms of the Cincinnati Bell Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan, reporting
 (1) person elected to defer a percentage of his annual retainer fee and per meeting fee in 2005. These shares were acquired pursuant to the terms of the Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors.
- (2) Option shares granted under the 1997 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (3) Phantom shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Outside Directors, which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (4) One for one conversion.
- (5) Phantom shares are payable in cash following retirement or termination of the reporting person's employment/affiliation with the Company.

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