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OMB APPROVAL UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MILLER GARY A Issuer Symbol GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO (Check all applicable) /OH/ [GT] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) THE GOODYEAR TIRE & 12/18/2007 Vice President Purch RUBBER COMPANY, 1144 EAST MARKET STREET (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 AKRON, OH 44316-0001 (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 Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount \$ Common $F^{(1)}$ 12/18/2007 916 D 26.68 16,741 D Stock (1) \$

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

 $M^{(2)}$

1,950

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12.54

(2)

18,691

 $2,825 \stackrel{(3)}{=}$

D

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401(k)

Plan (4)

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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. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 3) 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
2002 Plan Option (5)	\$ 12.54	12/18/2007		M		1,950	<u>(6)</u>	12/09/2014	Common Stock	1,950
2002 Plan Option	\$ 26.68	12/18/2007		A	916		12/18/2008	12/09/2014	Common Stock	916

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MILLER GARY A THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY 1144 EAST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44316-0001

Vice President Purch

Signatures

/s/ Bertram Bell, signing as an attorney-in-fact and agent duly authorized to execute this Form 4 on behalf of Gary A Miller pursuant to a Power of Attorney dated 10/3/02, a copy of which has been previously filed with the SEC.

12/20/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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916 previously owned shares having a market value of \$26.68 per share were delivered in payment of the option price of \$12.54 per share for 1,950 shares acquired pursuant to the exercise of an option granted under the 2002 Plan.

- (2) 1,950 shares were acquired pursuant to the exercise of an Incentive Stock Option granted under the 2002 Plan.
 - Total number of shares of common stock allocated to the account of the reporting person in a Trust established under Goodyear's
- (3) Employee Savings Plan for Salaried Employees, a 401(k) Plan (the "Savings Plan"), as of the date of this statement as reported by the Plan Trustee.
- (4) The shares are held by a nominee of The Northern Trust Company, the Savings Plan Trustee.
- (5) Exercise of Incentive Stock Option granted on 12/9/2004 under the 2002 Plan.
- (6) The option vests and becomes exercisable in 25% increments over four years commencing one year after the date of grant.
- (7) Pursuant to the terms of the plan, a reload option was granted for the number of shares tendered in payment of the option exercise price.

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