**ROSS DENNIS E** 

Form 4

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(City)

(State)

(Zip)

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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 **ROSS DENNIS E** Issuer Symbol FORD MOTOR CO [F] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify FORD MOTOR COMPANY, ONE 12/01/2004 below) AMERICAN ROAD Vice Pres. and Gen. Counsel (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 DEARBORN, MI 48126 Person

(City)	(State)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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 onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) 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, \$0.01 par value			Code V	Amount (D) Frice	52,508	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value					2,348	I	By Company Plan

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)

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. 5. Number Transactionof Code Derivative (Instr. 8) 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)			
				Code V	7	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.25							<u>(1)</u>	03/13/2007	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(1)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.65							(2)	03/12/2008	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(2)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.95							(3)	03/11/2009	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(3)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.73							<u>(4)</u>	03/09/2010	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(4)</u>
BEP Ford Stock Fund Units	<u>(5)</u>							<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(5)</u>
DCP Ford Stock Fund Units	<u>(6)</u>	12/01/2004		A(6)		220		<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	79

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.19	<u>(7)</u>	03/08/2011	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(7)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.26	(8)	03/11/2014	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(8)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.91	<u>(9)</u>	03/14/2012	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	<u>(9)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.55	(10)	03/18/2013	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(10)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.78	(11)	12/05/2012	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(11)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.72	(12)	12/10/2012	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	(12)

## **Reporting Owners**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Relationships Officer	Other		
ROSS DENNIS E FORD MOTOR COMPANY ONE AMERICAN ROAD DEARBORN, MI 48126			Vice Pres. and Gen. Counsel			
Signatures						
s/Kathryn S. Lamping, Attorney-in-Fact	12/02/2	12/02/2004				

Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) The option became exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (3/14/1997), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- The option became exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (3/13/1998), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- (3) The option became exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (3/12/1999), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- (4) The option became exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (3/10/2000), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- These Ford Stock Fund Units were credited to my account by the Company, without payment by me, in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c), under the Company's Benefit Equalization Plan, and included in my most recent plan statement. In general, these Ford Stock Fund Units will be converted and distributed to me, without payment, in cash, following termination of employment, based on the then current price of a Ford Stock Fund Unit and the then current market value of a share of Common Stock.
- These Ford Stock Fund Units result from dividend equivalents under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan credited to my account, without payment by me. In general, these Ford Stock Fund Units will be converted and distributed to me, without payment, in cash, after termination of employment, based on the current price of a Ford Stock Fund Unit and the then current market value of a share of Common Stock
- (7) The option became exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (3/9/2001), 66% a fter two years, and in full after three years.
- (8) The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (03/12/2004), 66% aft er two years, and in full after three years.
- (9) The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (03/15/2002), 66% aft er two years, and in full after three years.
- (10) The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (03/19/2003), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- (11) The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (12/6/2002), 66% aft er two years, and in full after three years.
- (12) The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (12/11/2002), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.

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