PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GRIFFITH S PATRICIA			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/ [PGR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					Director 10% Owner				
6300 WILSON MILLS RD.			(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2005					Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below) Chief Human Resource / Officer				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D) 4 and (A)))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
a	02/20/2005			Code V		or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common	03/29/2005			A(1)	6,982	A	\$ 0	18,081	D			
Common								2,185.831	I	401(k) Plan		
Common								570	I	By Husband		
Common								2,725.516	I	Husband's 401(k) 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Date		Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
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					of (D)						(Instr
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						Date	Expiration		Or Number		
						Exercisable	Date	Title No	Number		
				C + V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

GRIFFITH S PATRICIA 6300 WILSON MILLS RD. MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143

Chief Human Resource Officer

Signatures

David M. Coffey, By Power of 03/30/2005 Attorney

> **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).
- Restricted stock grant made pursuant to The Progressive Corporation 2003 Incentive Plan.

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