CASSIDY JOHN F

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

02/28/2009

Stock (2)

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(Print or Type Responses)

CASSIDY JOHN F				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CINCINNATI BELL INC [CBB]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of (Month/D	Earliest Tr	ansaction			_X_ Director		Owner	
221 EAST FOURTH STREET			02/28/2009					_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO				
(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			
CINCINNATI 45202									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deen Execution any (Month/E	n Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie r(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a	osed c	of (D)	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						` '		48,681.062	I	By 401k Plan	
	Common Stock (1)	02/28/2009			A	448,403	A	\$ 1.66	1,155,040	D		
	Common	02/28/2000			E	200 841	D	\$	05/1 100	D		

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ie e	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 $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 18.6875					08/20/2000	08/20/2009	Common Stock	20,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 16.7813					09/17/2001	09/17/2009	Common Stock	200,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 35.9688					01/03/2001	01/03/2010	Common Stock	15,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 23.5313					05/23/2001	05/23/2010	Common Stock	400,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 22.8438					01/02/2002	01/02/2011	Common Stock	80,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 9.645					12/04/2002	12/04/2011	Common Stock	400,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 3.48					12/05/2003	12/05/2012	Common Stock	600,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 5.655					12/04/2004	12/04/2013	Common Stock	801,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 3.7					12/03/2005	12/03/2014	Common Stock	666,100
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 3.995					12/01/2005	12/01/2015	Common Stock	425,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 3.49					01/27/2007	01/27/2016	Common Stock	85,000
Option to Buy $\frac{(3)}{}$	\$ 4.735					12/08/2007	12/08/2016	Common Stock	574,350
Option to Buy (4)	\$ 4.91					12/07/2008	12/07/2017	Common Stock	559,355
	\$ 1.67					12/05/2009	12/05/2018		680,000

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Option to $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} \\ \text{Buy} \ \underline{^{(4)}} \end{array}$ Stock

Stock

Appreciation \$ 1.39 01/30/2010 01/30/2019 Common Stock 1,000,000

Right (5)

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

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

03/03/2009

**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) Common shares issued upon vesting of performance units granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan and the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan, both of which are Rule 16b-3 Plans.
- (2) Surrender of common shares to cover tax liabilities upon vesting of performance units granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan and the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan, both of which are Rule 16b-3 Plans.
- (3) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (4) Option shares granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.
- (5) Stock Appreciation Right (SAR) granted under the Cincinnati Bell Inc. 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 Plan.

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