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Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and A			Vame and Tressive Cor		Per	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last	t) (First) (of Rep	orti	dentification ng Person, v (voluntary			ntement for h/Day/Year 3	109	Director			
Shaker Heigl	(Street) hts, OH 44122						Date	Amendment, of Original th/Day/Year)	(Cl <u>X</u> I Per I	neck Applical Form filed by rson	One Reporting More than One	
(Ci	ity) (State)	(Zip)		Tab	ole I Non-	-Deriv	sposed	posed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8		or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow-		6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
	Year)	(Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)		(I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common	2/4/03		M		6,000	A	\$11.00			D		
Common	2/4/03		M		6,000	A	\$11.1043			D		
Common	2/4/03		F		2,755	D	\$48.155		26,669	D		

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

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1	1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
J	Derivative	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect
5	Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	of	Date	Underlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial

^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(Instr. 3)	Derivative Security	(Month/ Day/	Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Sec Ac (A) Dis of (curities quired or posed	` •		Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		(Instr. 5)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	_	T .	Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr. 4)	
Director Option	\$11.00	2/4/03		M		6,000	4/23/93	4/23/03	Common	6,000			D	
Director Option	\$11.1043	2/4/03		M		6,000	4/22/94	4/22/04	Common	6,000		40,767	D	

Explanation of Responses:

By: /s/ <u>Stephen R. Hardis</u>
By: David M. Coffey, Attorney in Fact

2/6/03

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned is a director and/or officer of The Progressive Corporation, an Ohio corporation (the "Corporation"), certain securities of which are registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). The undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints Charles E. Jarrett, Dane A. Shrallow, Michael R. Uth and David M. Coffey, and each of them, my true and lawful attorney-infact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for me and in my name, place and stead, as my attorney-in-fact and agent, to sign any and all Forms 3, 4 and 5, or successor forms, and any and all amendments or supplements thereto, in order to report, pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Act, the number of the Common Shares and other securities (including any derivative securities) of the Corporation beneficially owned by the undersigned, or any change in the number of Shares or other securities of the

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Corporation so owned by the undersigned or in the nature of such ownership, and to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange the required number of copies of such form or forms, or any such amendments or supplements, pursuant to and in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange, giving and granting unto each said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts and things whatsoever necessary or appropriate to be done in or about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and approving all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them, or any such substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney on the 14th day of June, 2001.

/s/ Stephen R. Hardis
Stephen R. Hardis