#### POWERS ROBERT P Form 3/A February 03, 2005 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB

#### **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> POWERS		U	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC [AEP]				
(Last) 1 RIVERSII	(First)	(Middle)	10/24/2001	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2001	
I KIVEKSIL		L		(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X_Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) EVP of AEPSC (Subsidiary)		icable)		
COLUMBU	(Street) S, OHÂ	43215				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group</li> <li>Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting</li> <li>Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One</li> <li>Reporting Person</li> </ul>		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - I	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3.4. Nature of Indirect BeneficialOwnershipOwnershipForm:(Instr. 5)Direct (D)or Indirect(I)(Instr. 5)			
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Title

Date **Expiration Date** Exercisable

Derivative Security Amount or Number of Shares

Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5)

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Common 62,500 <sup>(2)</sup> \$ 35.625

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## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships **Reporting Owner Name / Address** Director 10% Owner Officer Other POWERS ROBERT P Â Â Â **1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA**  EVP of AEPSC (Subsidiary) COLUMBUS, OHÂ 43215

### Signatures

(right to buy)

/s/ Thomas G. Berkemeyer, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert P. 02/03/2005 Powers \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Option exercisable in 33-1/3% increments on January 1st of 2002, 2003 and 2004, respectively.

(2) Options shares were incorrectly reported on Form 3 as 6,250.

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