

AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Akins Nicholas K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC [AEP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 President, CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER, 1 RIVERSIDE PLAZA
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/01/2014

COLUMBUS, OH 43215

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	05/01/2014		F		2,350 (1)	D	\$ 53.87 (4)
Common Stock	05/01/2014		F		7,841 (2)	D	\$ 53.87 (4)
Common Stock	05/01/2014		M		15,140 (3)	A	\$ 52.082 (5)
Common Stock	05/01/2014		F		7,260	D	\$ 52.082 (5)

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- (2) A portion of Mr. Akins' restricted stock units (16,352) that were granted on 1/25/2012 vested on 5/1/2014. Upon vesting, 7,841 restricted stock units were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability.
- (3) A portion of Mr. Akins' restricted stock units (15,140) that were granted on 2/26/2013 vested on 5/1/2014. Upon vesting, 7,260 restricted stock units were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability and the remaining restricted stock units were settled in cash.
- (4) Value is based on share price of \$53.87 which was the closing price of the stock.
- (5) Value is based on 20 day average closing price of \$52.082.

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