#### PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/

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### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading
LEWIS PETER B	Symbol

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Check all applicable)

6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/ [PGR]

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

04/23/2009

below) Chairman of Board

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143

(Street)

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecur	ities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on (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)	
Common	04/23/2009		Code V $A_{(1)}^{(1)}$	Amount 14,295	(D)	Price \$ 0	47,790,453	D	
Common							221,756.377	I	401(k) Plan
Common							400,000	I	As Trustee (2)
Common							18,000	I	As Trustee (3)
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As Trustee (3)

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Under	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEWIS PETER B							
6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD	X		Chairman of Board				
MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143							

## **Signatures**

David M. Coffey, by Power of Attorney 04/24/2009

\*\*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) Restricted stock grant made pursuant to The Progressive Corporation 2003 Directors Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Shares are held in a trust for the benefit of the reporting person's grandchildren of which the reporting person is a trustee. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in the shares held by the trust.
- (3) Shares are held in a trust for the benefit of the reporting person's grandchild of which the reporting person is a trustee. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in the shares held by the trust.

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