

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

OMB No. 1545-0123

► See separate instructions.

Part I Reporting Issuer

1 Issuer's name		2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)	
FirstEnergy Corp		34-1843785	
3 Name of contact for additional information	4 Telephone No. of contact	5 Email address of contact	
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6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact		7 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code of contact	
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8 Date of action	9 Classification and description		
June 1, 2021	Distribution on common stock		
10 CUSIP number	11 Serial number(s)	12 Ticker symbol	13 Account number(s)
337932107		FE	

Part II Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions.

14 Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ► On June 1, 2021, FirstEnergy Corp. ("FE") paid a quarterly distribution of \$0.39 per common share to its shareholders of record as of May 7, 2021. Previously, on March 1, 2021, FE paid a quarterly distribution of \$0.39 per common share to its shareholders of record as of February 5, 2021. The estimated return of capital treatment explained below applies to both the June 1, 2021 distribution and the March 1, 2021 distribution.

15 Describe the quantitative effect of the organizational action on the basis of the security in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per share or as a percentage of old basis ► The characterization of a distribution as either a dividend or return of capital for federal income tax purposes depends on FE's estimate of earnings and profits for the full year. The information set forth in this Form is based on estimates as of the date the Form is posted to FE's public website. Estimates can change throughout the year and, if they do, FE will file a corrected Form for impacted distributions pursuant to applicable Treasury Regulations.

Based on current estimates, approximately 73% of the distributions paid on June 1, 2021 and March 1, 2021 are not dividends and will be treated as nontaxable return of capital to the extent of the shareholders' tax basis. Tax basis in the common shares will be reduced by the amount of the nontaxable portion of the distribution. Any amount in excess of a shareholder's tax basis will be treated as gain for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Shareholders should consult their own tax advisors to determine the income tax consequences of their specific situation. FE is providing this Form for informational purposes only and not as legal or tax advice. A corrected Form 8937 has been posted for the March 1, 2021 distribution.

16 Describe the calculation of the change in basis and the data that supports the calculation, such as the market values of securities and the valuation dates ► Pursuant to Internal Revenue Code sections 301(c) and 316(a), the taxability of the distribution is based on FE's earnings and profits as computed for U.S. federal income tax purposes. FE's estimated current and accumulated earnings and profits applicable to 2021 distributions supports the disclosure that approximately 73% of the distributions paid on June 1, 2021 and March 1, 2021 are nontaxable return of capital to the extent of the shareholders' basis.

Part II Organizational Action (continued)

17 List the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ►

Internal Revenue Code sections 301(c) and 316(a).

18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ► N/A

19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ►

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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

Signature ►

Gregory J. Gawlik

Date ►

6/23/2021

Print your name ► Gregory J. Gawlik

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