EATON VANCE CORP

Form 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SECURITIES

See Instruction

1(b).

Non-voting

Common

Stock

01/07/2009

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

O REILLY VINCENT M Symbol EATON VANCE CORP [EV] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title THE EATON VANCE 01/07/2009 below) **BUILDING, 255 STATE STREET** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BOSTON, MA 021092617 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 3. 4. Securities Acquired 6. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting 01/07/2009 M 2,200 \$0 4,673.81 D A Common Stock Eaton Vance Corp. \$

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

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2,200

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ionof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nui of S
Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	01/07/2009		M		2,200	11/03/2010(1)	11/03/2010(1)	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	2,
Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.14						(2)	12/19/2013	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	12
Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.39						<u>(2)</u>	12/17/2014	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	12
Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.58						<u>(2)</u>	12/16/2015	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	8,
Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.11						11/01/2006	11/01/2016	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common	8,

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				Stock	
Option (right to buy)	\$ 48.39	11/01/2007	11/01/2017	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	6
Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.99	11/03/2008	11/03/2018	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

O REILLY VINCENT M THE EATON VANCE BUILDING 255 STATE STREET BOSTON, MA 021092617



Signatures

By: Katie McManus, Attorney in Fact 01/07/2009

**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) Each share of Phantom Stock is the economic equivalent of one share of non-voting common stock. The shares of Phantom Stock become payable in cash at the earlier of the second anniversary of the grant date or the date of the non-employee director's termination.
- (2) These options vest over a 4 year period at 25% per year.

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