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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 *
Leitch David G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FORD MOTOR COMPANY, ONE AMERICAN ROAD

(Street)

DEARBORN, MI 48126

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FORD MOTOR CO [F]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/05/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Senior VP and General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	03/05/2008		M ⁽¹⁾		4,770	A	Ⓛ	4,770	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	03/05/2008		F ⁽²⁾		1,947	D	\$	6.14	2,823	D

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

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
					V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.14	03/05/2008		A ⁽³⁾		103,773		<u>(3)</u>	03/04/2018	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value
Ford Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	03/05/2008		A ⁽⁴⁾		32,543		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value
Ford Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	03/05/2008		A ⁽⁵⁾		99,337		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value
Ford Stock Equivalents	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2008		M ⁽¹⁾		4,770		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Leitch David G FORD MOTOR COMPANY ONE AMERICAN ROAD DEARBORN, MI 48126			Senior VP and General Counsel	

Signatures

/s/Jerome F. Zaremba,
Attorney-in-Fact

03/07/2008

**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) The reported transaction involved the conversion, without payment by me, of Ford Stock Equivalents into shares of Common Stock under the Company's 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) These shares were withheld by the Company to cover my income tax liability relating to a grant to me of Common Stock under the Company's 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (3) This option was granted under the Company's 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan without payment by me. The option is exercisable to the extent of 33% of the shares optioned after one year from the date of grant (03/05/2008), 66% after two years, and in full after three years.
- (4) These Ford Restricted Stock Units were acquired under the Company's 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan without payment by me. These Ford Restricted Stock Units will be converted and distributed to me, without payment, in shares of Common Stock on March 5, 2010.
- (5) These Ford Restricted Stock Units were acquired under the Company's 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan without payment by me. These Ford Restricted Stock Units will be converted and distributed to me, without payment, in shares of Common Stock on March 5, 2011.

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