Sauerland John P Form 4 July 19, 2018

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Sauerland John P	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	PROGRESSIVE CORP/OH/ [PGR]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 07/17/2018	Director 10% Owne Nficer (give title Other (spec			
		below) below) VP and Chief Financial Officer			
(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			
MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Sec	urities	s Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common	07/17/2018		A(1)	90,953.365	A	\$0	455,376.854	D	
Common	07/17/2018		F	40,793	D	\$ 59.49	414,583.854	D	
Common	07/18/2018		S(2)	12,000	D	\$ 59.33 (3)	402,583.854	D	
Common							11,457.924	I	401(k) Plan
Common							1,200	I	By Child

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	sable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorNumber	Expiration Da	te	Amoun	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	*			
						Exercisable			Number	
									of	
				Code V	$^{\prime}$ (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sauerland John P 6300 WILSON MILLS ROAD MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OH 44143

VP and Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Laurie F. Humphrey, By Power of Attorney

07/19/2018

**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) These shares were issued pursuant to the vesting of performance-based restricted stock unit awards made in 2015, including dividend equivalents accrued since the grant date.
- (2) The sale reported on this Form 4 was made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person as of April 18, 2018.
- The price reported in Column 4 is the weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.23 to \$59.40, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to The Progressive Corporation, any security holder of The Progressive Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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