#### **EDWARDS O RALPH**

Form 4

April 17, 2003

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1. Name and Address of Repor Person* Edwards, O. Ralph	<u> </u>	rading Symbol	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 300 Park Boulevard, Suite 40	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year  April 15, 2003	X Director 10% Owner Officer Other  7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)  Itasca, IL 60143  (City) (State) (Zip)  USA		5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
	curities Acquired, Disposed of, or B	eneficially Owned	1						
1. Title of Security 2. Tran	saction Date nth/Day/Year)  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any  (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (A) or Disposed (Of Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)	D) Securities Beneficially	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
		Code   V Amount   A/D   P	rice						
Common Stock			6,83	9 D					
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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date	7. Title and	8. Price	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	sion or	Transaction	Execution	Transaction	of	Exercisable(DE) and	Amount of	of	Derivative	Owner-	Indirec
Security	Exercise	Date	Date, if	Transaction	Derivative	Expiration	Underlying	Derivative	Securities	ship	Benefic

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Deri- vative Security	(Month/ Day/ Year)	any (Month/ Day/ Year)	Voluntary (V) Code (Instr.8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of (Instr. 3,4 and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr.5)	Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr.4)	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.4)	Owners (Instr.4
Phantom Stock under NQ Deferred	1-for-1	04/15/2003		Al	(A) 270	Immed.   (1)	Common Stock - 270	\$26.9000	6,339	D	
Comp. Plan Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.1334					11/19/1998   11/19/2007	Common Stock - 1,594		1,594	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.7000					02/18/1999   02/18/2008	Common Stock - 854		854	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.5500					02/17/2000   02/17/2009	Common Stock - 998		998	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.4000					02/16/2001   02/16/2010	Common Stock - 1,005		1,005	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.8750					05/17/2001   05/17/2010	Common Stock - 2,011		2,011	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.5000					02/21/2002   02/21/2011	Common Stock - 2,500		2,500	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$28.6950					02/20/2003   02/20/2012	Common Stock - 2,215		2,215	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$26.2550					02/19/2004   02/19/2013	Common Stock - 2,342		2,342	D	

Explanation of Responses :

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

**Power of Attorney** 

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# FOOTNOTE Descriptions for First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. FMBI

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Explanation of responses:

(1) Shares of phantom stock are payable in cash following the termination of the reporting person's services as a director of First Midwest Bancorp, Inc.

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