FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  TYLER W EDWIN							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST INC [ FR ]									all app Dired	olicable) otor		Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 311 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE SUITE 4000						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/06/2005										belov	er (give title w)		below)	
(Street) CHICAGO IL 60606  (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivine)	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/L						ar)	Execution if any	A. Deemed Recution Date, any Ionth/Day/Year)		Transaction Dis		I. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Sec Ben		ount of ities icially d Following ted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				,
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share 07/06/						/2005			A		1,188	(1) A		(2	2) (		6,979	D		
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)		of Derive Securion (A) or Disposof (D) (Instr.)	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			ice of vative ırity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	: t (D) lirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares granted under FR's 1997 Stock Incentive Plan. Of such shares, 1,000 vest on July 1, 2008 and 188 vest on January 31, 2015.
- 2. No figure applicable.

/s/ W. Ed Tyler

07/07/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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