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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * De May Stephen G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Duke Energy CORP [DUK]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(Ctota)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2008

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Director _X__ Officer (give title _

below)

10% Owner __ Other (specify

526 S. CHURCH STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Vice President & Treasurer

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ially 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 Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial D) Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/04/2008		M	610	A	\$ 0	8,299	D	
Common Stock	04/04/2008		F	198	D	\$ 18.12	8,101	D	
Common Stock							8,811	I	By Retirement Savings Plan

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. 5. Number Transaction of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		8. Price of Derivative
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code Derivative (Instr. 8) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Ltip Phantom Stock Grant April	(1)	04/04/2008		M	610	(2)	(3)	Common Stock	610	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

De May Stephen G 526 S. CHURCH STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

Vice President & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ David S. Maltz, attorney-in-fact for Stephen G. De May

04/08/2008

**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) Converts to Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (2) The reporting person was granted 3,050 shares on April 4, 2006. The shares will vest in five equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) Expiration date not applicable.

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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