

Duke Energy CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**ROGERS JAMES E**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 526 S. CHURCH STREET  
 (Street)

CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Duke Energy CORP [DUK]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/08/2007**

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)  
**Chairman, President & CEO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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. 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
				V	(A)	(D)			
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 29.14	01/08/2007	D <sup>(1)</sup>			1,877,646	<sup>(3)</sup>	04/04/2016	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 16.6	01/08/2007	A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,877,646		<sup>(3)</sup>	04/04/2016	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 26.788	01/08/2007	D <sup>(1)</sup>			214,188	<sup>(2)</sup>	01/01/2015	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 15.26	01/08/2007	A <sup>(1)</sup>		214,188		<sup>(2)</sup>	01/01/2015	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 27.208	01/08/2007	D <sup>(1)</sup>			213,720	01/01/2009	01/01/2016	Common Stock
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 15.5	01/08/2007	A <sup>(1)</sup>		213,720		01/01/2009	01/01/2016	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROGERS JAMES E 526 S. CHURCH STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

## Signatures

By: David S. Maltz,  
attorney-in-fact

01/10/2007

\*\*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) On January 2, 2007, Duke Energy Corporation ('Issuer') spun off its natural gas businesses to form the stand-alone company Spectra Energy Corp. As a result, equitable adjustments were made to Duke Energy's outstanding stock option awards.
- (2) All options became exercisable in connection with the April 3, 2006 merger between Duke Energy and Cinergy.
- (3) The reporting person was granted 1,877,646 options on April 4, 2006. The options will vest in three equal installments on April 3, 2007, April 3, 2008 and April 3, 2009.

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