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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **ROGERS JAMES E** Issuer Symbol Duke Energy CORP [DUK] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 526 S. CHURCH STREET 02/21/2011 below) Chairman, President & CEO (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting CHARLOTTE, NC 28202 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securit	ies Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securitie Transactiomr Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 a) (Instr. 8) Code V Amount	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/21/2011		M	184,079	A	\$ 17.94	1,714,404	D	
Common Stock							18,925	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock							507,658	I	By Spouse

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. Nu	mber of	6. Date Exercis	sable and	7. Title and A	Amount o
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acqui	ired (A) or				
	Derivative				Dispo	sed of (D)				
	Security				(Instr.	. 3, 4, and				
					5)					
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Performance Shares	\$ 17.94	02/21/2011		M		184,079	02/21/2011	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	184,0′

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ David S. Maltz, attorney-in-fact for James E. Rogers 02/23/2011

**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) Expiration date not applicable.

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