Jamil Dhiaa M. Form 4 May 25, 2012

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jamil Dhiaa M.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Duke Energy CORP [DUK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
σ			2,	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
550 S. TRYON	STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2012	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CHARLOTTE,	NC 28202		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Stock	05/23/2012		M	2,125	A	\$ 7.85	99,600	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		S	2,125	D	\$ 21.57	97,475	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		S	5,000	D	\$ 21.55	92,475	D	

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 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.85	05/23/2012		M		2,125	02/25/2003	02/25/2013	Common Stock	2,125

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jamil Dhiaa M. 550 S. TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

Grp Exec, ChfGenOffr&ChfNucOffr

Signatures

/s/ David S. Maltz, attorney-in-fact for Dhiaa M. Jamill

05/24/2012

**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).

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