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MARTIN JAMES G Symbol			Symbol	r Name an			-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)			DUKE ENERGY CORP [DUK] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)				
458 BEATEN PATH			(Month/Day/Year) 02/24/2006					X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
MOORES	(Street) VILLE, NC 2811	F		endment, D nth/Day/Yea	-	al		6. Individual Applicable Lin _X_ Form fileo Form filed Person	e) l by Oı	ne Reporti	-	k	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	- Secu	rities A	cquired, Dispos	ed of.	or Benef	ficially Owr	ned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ansaction Date 2A. Deemed		3.4. SecuritiesfTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Owr Forn Dire or In (I)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)		of	
C				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock	02/24/2006			М	300	А	\$0	1,100	D				
Common Stock								1,232	Ι		By Spou	se	
Common Stock								17,548	Ι		By Trust under Directors Savings	5'	
Common Stock								2,927	I		By Trust Dividence Reinvest Plan	1	

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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. Transactio	5. Number	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) s d		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price o Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	````````	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
LTIP Phantom Stock 2004 Grant	<u>(1)</u>	02/24/2006		М	300	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	300	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner Office		Other				
MARTIN JAMES G 458 BEATEN PATH MOORESVILLE, NC 28117	Х							
Signatures								
By: Judy Z. Mayo, as Attorney-in-Fact for		02/2	7/2006					

**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) 1-for-1
- (2) The phantom stock vests in 5 equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2005.
- (3) FOR ELECTRONIC FILING PURPOSES ONLY. Expiration date not applicable.

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