

Duke Power CO LLC
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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 *
 HAUSER DAVID L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 526 SOUTH CHURCH STREET
 (Street)

CHARLOTTE, NC 282021802
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Duke Power CO LLC [DUK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/03/2006

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)
 Group VP and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/03/2006 ⁽¹⁾		D	210 D \$ 0 0		D	
Common Stock	04/03/2006 ⁽¹⁾		D	192 D \$ 0 0		I	By Spouse
Common Stock	04/03/2006 ⁽¹⁾		D	24,399 D \$ 0 0		I	By Trustee under Retirement Savings Plan
Common Stock	04/03/2006 ⁽¹⁾		D	13,917 D \$ 0 0		I	By Trustee, Executive

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of
LTIP Phantom Stock 2001 Grant	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	565	(3)	(4)	Common Stock	
LTIP Phantom Stock 2004 Grant	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	12,636	(5)	(4)	Common Stock	1
LTIP Phantom Stock Grant Feb 2005	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	18,968	(6)	(4)	Common Stock	1
Performance Shares	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	12,000	(7)	(4)	Common Stock	1
Phantom Stock	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	30,920	(8)	(4)	Common Stock	3
Phantom Stock (Performance Vested)	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	431	08/08/1988(8)	(4)	Common Stock	
Phantom Stock II	(2)	04/03/2006(1)		D	1,920	(9)	(4)	Common Stock	
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 27.63	04/03/2006(1)		D	18,600	(10)	02/17/2008	Common Stock	1

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- (4) Expiration date not applicable.
- (5) The phantom stock vests in 5 equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2005.
- (6) The phantom stock vests in 5 equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2006.
- (7) The award vests upon the seventh anniversary of the transaction date but may vest earlier upon achievement of certain increases in total shareholder return.
- (8) Paid in cash upon termination of employment or occurrence of other events as specified in the Executive Savings Plan I.
- (9) Paid in cash upon the termination of employment or occurrence of other events as specified in the Executive Savings Plan II, subject to holding periods required by law.
- (10) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on February 17, 1999.
- (11) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on February 17, 2000.
- (12) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on December 20, 2000.
- (13) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on December 20, 2001.
- (14) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on December 19, 2002.
- (15) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on February 25, 2004.

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