Duke Energy CORP Form 8-K February 05, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 30, 2015

Registrant, State of Incorporation or Organization,

Commission file number

Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Telephone Number

IRS Employer Identification No.

1-32853

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

20-2777218

(a Delaware corporation)

550 South Tryon Street

Charlotte, North Carolina 28202-1803

704-382-3853

DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC

56-0205520

(a North Carolina limited liablity company)

526 South Church Street

Charlotte, North Carolina 28202-4200

704-382-3853

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.

59-0247770

(a Florida corporation)

299 First Avenue North

St. Petersburg, Florida 33701

704-382-3853

DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, INC.

35-0594457

(an Indiana corporation)

1000 East Main Street

Plainfield, Indiana 46168

704-382-3853

DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC.

31-0240030

(an Ohio corporation)

139 East Fourth Street

Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

704-382-3853

DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, INC.

56-0165465

(a North Carolina corporation)

410 South Wilmington street

Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-1748

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On January 30, 2015, Duke Energy Corporation (the Corporation) and its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, Duke Energy Florida, Inc., Duke Energy Indiana, Inc., Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., and Duke Energy Progress, Inc., entered into an amendment to the \$6,000,000,000 Credit Agreement, dated as of November 18, 2011 and as amended on December 18, 2013, among the Corporation and each of such subsidiaries, as Borrowers, the lenders listed therein, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent and Swingline Lender. The credit facility was originally described and filed in the Corporation s Form 8-K dated November 25, 2011. The amendment was entered into primarily to increase the maximum aggregate borrowing amount available to the Borrowers to \$7,500,000,000, and to extend the termination date of the facility from December 2018 to January 30, 2020.

The disclosure in this Item 1.01 is qualified in its entirety by the provisions of the amendment to the Credit Agreement, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Amendment No. 2 and Consent, dated as of January 30, 2015, among Duke Energy Corporation, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., Duke Energy Indiana, Inc., Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., Duke Energy Progress, Inc. (f/k/a Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc.) and Duke Energy Florida, Inc. (f/k/a Progress Energy Florida, Inc.), the Lenders party hereto, the Issuing Lenders party hereto, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent and Swingline Lender

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

Date: February 4, 2015 By: /s/ Robert T. Lucas III

Name: Robert T. Lucas III
Title: Assistant Secretary

DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC

Date: February 4, 2015 By: /s/ Robert T. Lucas III

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

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