Spectra Energy Corp. Form 4 December 19, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Duke Energy CORP**

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

526 SOUTH CHURCH STREET

(Street)

CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

Common

Stock

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Spectra Energy Corp. [SE]

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

12/18/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Person

5. Amount of

Beneficially

Securities

Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

Issuer

Director

Officer (give title

(City) (State)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

12/18/2006

(Zip)

Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)

4. Securities

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Owned

Code V Amount (D) Price

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6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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Form: Direct

(D) or

D

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ite	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
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					4, and 5)					
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						Exercisable	Date	or		
								Number		
								of		
								Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Duke Energy CORP 526 SOUTH CHURCH STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28202		X					

Signatures

/s/ David S. Maltz, Assistant 12/19/2006 Secretary

**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).

On January 2, 2007, Duke Energy Corporation ("Duke Energy") will distribute all of the shares of Spectra Energy Corp ("Spectra Energy") that it owns to Duke Energy shareholders of record as of the close of business on December 18, 2006. The distribution will be made to the shareholders of Duke Energy on a pro rata basis by means of a share dividend. On or prior to the distribution date, Spectra Energy will recapitalize the Spectra Energy common stock held by Duke Energy such that Duke Energy will distribute to its shareholders 0.5 share of Spectra Energy common stock for every 1 share of Duke Energy common stock held by shareholders of Duke Energy as of the close of business on December 18, 2006.

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