

Duke Energy Ohio, Inc.
Form 8-K
December 23, 2013

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): **December 18, 2013**

Commission file number	Registrant, State of Incorporation or Organization, Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Telephone Number	IRS Employer Identification No.
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DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

1-32853

(a Delaware corporation)

20-2777218

550 South Tryon Street

Charlotte, North Carolina 28202-1803

704-382-3853

1-04928

DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC

56-0205520

(a North Carolina limited liability company)

526 South Church Street

Charlotte, North Carolina 28202-4200

704-382-3853

1-3274

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.

59-0247770

(a Florida corporation)

299 First Avenue North

St. Petersburg, Florida 33701

704-382-3853

1-3543

DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, INC.

35-0594457

(an Indiana corporation)

1000 East Main Street

Plainfield, Indiana 46168

704-382-3853

1-1232

DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC.

31-0240030

(an Ohio corporation)

139 East Fourth Street

Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

704-382-3853

1-3382

DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, INC.

56-0165465

(a North Carolina corporation)

410 South Wilmington street

Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-1748

704-382-3853

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☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On December 18, 2013, 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, among the Corporation and each of such subsidiaries, as Borrowers, the lenders listed therein, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent, Bank of America, N.A. and The Royal Bank of Scotland plc, as Co-Syndication Agents, and Bank of China, New York Branch, Barclays Bank PLC, Citibank, N.A., Credit Suisse AG, Cayman Islands Branch, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. and UBS Securities LLC, as Co-Documentation Agents. 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 borrowing sublimit available to the Corporation from \$2,250,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000, and to extend the termination date of the facility by approximately one year, to December 18, 2018. The total amount of \$6,000,000,000 available under the Credit Agreement did not change.

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.*

10.1 Amendment No. 1 and Consent, dated as of December 18, 2013, 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

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: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson
Name: Julia S. Janson
Title: Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and
Corporate Secretary

DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC

Date: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson
Name: Julia S. Janson
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA, INC.

Date: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson
Name: Julia S. Janson
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, INC.

Date: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson
Name: Julia S. Janson
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC.

Date: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson
Name: Julia S. Janson

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Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, INC.

Date: December 20, 2013

By: /s/ Julia S. Janson

Name: Julia S. Janson

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer

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