

Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, May 14, 2012 4:32 PM

To:

Ann Gray | Redacted - Personal Info t); Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Cc:

Garrett, Debby <Debby.Garrett@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

FW: August Board locations

Attach:

August BOD 2012 Grid v1 0.xlsx

Ann and Jim:

Please see the attached spreadsheet of possible locations for the August board meeting. We checked availability and pricing for a number of locations that you mentioned, as well as some others generally within the States of our service territory (in Indianapolis; Cincinnati; and Charlestown and Kiawah, South Carolina).

The chart shows the places with availability, the pricing for rooms and meetings space, and distances from the airport into which we would fly. We have converted costs (excluding travel) into a per person cost, and listed the available locations from most to least expensive. Without doing the full math of air travel, flight costs would be greatest for Colorado, next would be Nantucket, with the other locations probably pretty similar because the cost is a function of total miles flown to and from director pick-up.

Those locations that did not have availability or would otherwise not work are listed at the bottom. As Debbie notes, we have a hold on the available places for a short period of time (two weeks), and should make a final decision as soon as possible. Debbie confirmed that we have no financial obligation for the reservation at Clemson, and have advised them that we will not be meeting there.

Marc

Marc E. Manly

Group Vice President, General Counsel, and Corporate Secretary

Duke Energy Corporation

550 S. Tryon Street, Mail Code DEC48

Charlotte, NC 28202 Phone; Reducted - Personal Info

email: marc.manly@duke-energy.com

From: Garrett, Debby

Sent: Monday, May 14, 2012 4:19 PM

To: Manly, Marc E

Cc: Maltz, David S: Sims, Bobbie A Subject: August Board locations

Marc,

Per your request, attached is the August Board retreat location options for you to send to Ann. David may or may not have mentioned that these properties are on a 1st option hold for 2 weeks. This means they will hold the space and give us 1st option to reserve it within 2 weeks. Kim tells me this is high season for most of them, so we'll want to move sooner rather than later. Please let me know how you would like us to proceed. Thanks.

Debby Garrett Associate, Board of Directors **Duke Energy Corporation** 550 South Tryon St.

DEC45A
Charlotte_NC 28202

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debby.garrett@duke-energy.com

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11	Greenbrier (White Sulphur Springs, WV)	yes		comp	\$	279.00-\$479.00	\$	400.00	\$	1,000.00	Nuclected - Person Info
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22	Charleston Place	N/A									sold out
23	Samoset	N/A									large group has majority of space
24	Wild Dunes- Charleston 20 min.	N/A	1		<u> </u>						large group has majority of space
25	Market Pavilion- Charleston	N/A	1						İ		not large enough for meeting space
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Harrington, Sue C <Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 25, 2012 7:54 PM

To:

Barnet, W Redacted - Personal Info >; Bernhardt, Alex - bernhardt

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Hance, Jr. < Redacted - Personal Info

>; Reinsch, Jim ---Redacted - Personal Info >; Rhodes, Jim - Redacted - Personal Info m>; ______, Sharp _____

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Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>; Maltz, David S

<David.Maltz@duke-energy.com>; Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

April 26 Special Telephonic Board Meeting Regarding Edwardsport Settlement

This message is to confirm that the special telephonic Board meeting to discuss and approve settlement of the Edwardsport project will take place tomorrow at 4:00pm as was tentatively scheduled. I will let you know as soon as the agenda and presentation materials are available in Board Vantage tomorrow.

Sent from my iPad

Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, April 23, 2012 5:30 PM

To:

Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>; 'amgray@{Reducted -Personal Into}

Cc:

Maltz, David S < David.Maltz@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Availability Chart for the Edwardsport Special Board Meeting (not very pretty)

Marc, how about Saturday?

Best, Jim

---- Original Message -----

From: Manly, Marc E

Sent: Monday, April 23, 2012 03:00 PM

To: Ann Gray (Redacted - Personal Info) < Redacted - Personal Info >; Rogers, Jim

Cc: Maltz. David S

Subject: FW: Availability Chart for the Edwardsport Special Board Meeting (not very pretty)

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----Original Message-----From: Maltz, David S

Sent: Monday, April 23, 2012 2:50 PM

To: Manly, Marc E Cc: Harrington, Sue C

Subject: RE: Availability Chart for the Edwardsport Special Board Meeting (not very pretty)

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- 2, Thursday 10:30-11:30. Missing Browning and Sharp.
- 3. Thursday 4-5. Missing Bernhardt and Forsgren.

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Sent:

Tuesday, April 17, 2012 1:11 PM

To:

Rogers, Jim <jim.rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: NEIL mtg

Jim.

Thanks for forwarding note from Dhiaa; long path to clarity on this, your meeting will help a lot. Best, Ann

Sent from my iPad

On Apr 17, 2012, at 10:12 AM, "Rogers, Jim" < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com> wrote:

> Ann,

Notice of Appeal

> Best,

> Jim

> ---- Original Message -----

- > From: Jamil, Dhiaa M
- > Sent: Monday, April 16, 2012 08:46 PM
- > To: Rogers, Jim; Good, Lynn J; Manly, Marc E
- > Subject: NEIL mtg

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Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly @duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, April 23, 2012 3:01 PM

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Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 17, 2012 10:13 AM

To:

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Subject:

Fw: NEIL mtg

Ann,

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From: Garrett, Debby < Debby. Garrett@duke-energy.com > on behalf of

Maltz, David S < David Maltz@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Thursday, November 17, 2011 3:20 PM

To: ampray Reducted - Personal Info Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>; Manly, Marc E

<Marc.Manly@duke-energy.com>; Good, Lynn J <Lynn.Good@duke-energy.com>;

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Cc: Currence, Kathy K < Kathy. Currence@duke-energy.com>; Miller, Monica L

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energy.com>; Seaford, Robin T < Robin.Seaford@duke-energy.com>; Harrington, Sue C

<Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com>; Garrett, Debby <Debby.Garrett@duke-

energy.com>

Subject: December 7-8, 2011, Board and Committee Agendas and Schedule

Attach: December 7-8, 2011, Board and Committee Agendas and Schedule pdf

In preparation for our 1:30pm meeting tomorrow, I've attached the current drafts of the December Board and Committee agendas and schedule. Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks.

David

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS - DECEMBER 7-8, 2011

Corporate Headquarters – Duke Energy Center 550 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, North Carolina

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 7, 2011	MEETING
11:00AM - 12:30PM	Compensation Committee (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
12:00PM - 1:30PM	Lunch (Room 4659 – Duke Energy Center)
1:00PM - 2:00PM	Corporate Governance Committee (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
2:00PM - 4:30PM	Finance and Risk Management Committee (Board Room – Duke Energy Center)
4:30PM - 6:30PM	Audit Committee (Board Room – Duke Energy Center)
6:30PM	Reception and Dinner (The Vista (46 th Floor) – Duke Energy Center)
THURSDAY DECEMBER 8, 2011	MEETING
6:30AM - 8:00AM	Breakfast (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
8:00AM - 12:30PM	Duke Energy Board Meeting (Board Room – Duke Energy Center)
12:30PM - 1:00PM	Independent Directors Meeting, including lunch, and briefing of Chairman at end of session, if necessary (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)

Nuclear Oversight Committee will not meet in December

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

COMPENSATION COMMITTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011 – 11:00 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

ROOM 4719 AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members:	<u>Present</u>			
James H. Hance, Jr., Chair Daniel R. DiMicco		Secretary_		
John H. Forsgren Ann M. Gray		Others Pre	esent	<u>-</u>
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DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011 - 1:00 P.M. TO 2:00 P.M.

ROOM 4719 AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members:	<u>Present</u>
Ann M. Gray, Chair Michael G. Browning	Secretary
Daniel R. DiMicco	Others Present
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Matters to be considered and acted upon:	Motion Second Vote
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Review and recommendati Amended and Restated Stock Ownership Guideline	
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Reconvene with Full Board during Board meeting on December 8, 2011

Discussion of Corporate Organization, Leadership Team and Succession Planning, including Work Force Management

Role and objectives of Executive Chairman

Next scheduled meeting dates:

February ____, 2012 (CEO Evaluation teleconference)

February 27, 2012

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

FINANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011 – 2:00 P.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members:	<u>Presen</u>	<u>t</u>				
William Barnet III, Chair Michael G. Browning		-	Secretary_	-		
Ann M. Gray		•	Others Pres	ent		
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DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011 – 4:30 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members: Michael G. Browning, Chair G. Alex Bernhardt, Sr. John H. Forsgren James T. Rhodes Philip R. Sharp	<u>Present</u>	SecretaryOthers Present		<u> </u>
Matters to be considered and acted upon:	* * * * * * *	Motion	Second V	<u>/ote</u>
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Next scheduled meeting dates: February [], 2012 (Fourth Quarter Earnings Release

and Form 10-K) February 27, 2012

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2011 – 8:00 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

<u>Directors</u> :	<u>Present</u>	
James E. Rogers, Chair		Secretary
William Barnet, III G. Alex Bernhardt, Sr.		
Michael G. Browning		Counsel
Daniel R. DiMicco		Others Present
John H. Forsgren		
Ann M. Gray		
James H. Hance, Jr.		
E. James Reinsch		
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Safety Message

- A. Independent Director Session (8:00–8:30)
- B. Executive Session (Jim Rogers) (8:30-9:00)
 - Discussion of Corporate Organization, Leadership Team and Succession Planning, including Work Force Management
 - Role and Objectives of Executive Chairman
- C. Duke Energy Indiana's Edwardsport Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle (IGCC) Project Update (Pat Galloway, Pegasus Global Holdings, Inc./Randy Speck, Kaye Scholer Law Firm) (9:00–10:00)

BREAK (10:00-10:15)

- D. Executive Session Reconvened, as necessary (Jim Rogers) (10:15–10:45)
- E. Merger Integration Update, including Crystal River and Day 1 Items (Lynn Good/Dhiaa Jamil/Marc Manly/A.R. Mullinax) (10:45–11:15)
- F. New Duke Energy Three-Year (2012-2014) Financial Plan (Lynn Good) (11:15-12:00)
- G. Executive Session (Jim Rogers) (12:00–12:30)
 - Report of the Audit Committee (Michael Browning)
 - Report of the Compensation Committee (Jim Hance)
 - Report of the Corporate Governance Committee (Ann Gray)
 - Report of the Finance and Risk Management Committee (Bill Barnet)

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED

AND ACTED UPON:

Motion

Second

Vote

CONSENT AGENDA

Item Recommended from the Corporate Governance Committee:

- (1) Approval of Amended and Restated Stock Ownership Guidelines
- (2) Approval of Designation of Director Nominees
- (3) Approval of Determination of Director Independence
- (4) Approval of Determination that the Composition of Audit Committee Satisfies New York Stock Exchange and Securities and Exchange Commission Requirements
- (5) Approval of Designation of the Audit Committee Financial Experts
- (6) Approval of Date, Time and Place for 2012 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Record Date for Shareholders Entitled to Vote

Item Recommended from the Finance and Risk Management Committee:

Notice of Appeal

General Items:

- (13) Approval of the Appointment of Officers
- (14) Designation of the "Section 16 Officers" and Securities and Exchange Commission "Executive Officers"
- (15) Approval of Delegation of Authority to the Audit Committee to Approve the Filing of the Corporation's 2011 Annual Report on Form 10-K
- (16) Establish 2014 Dates and Locations of Board and Committee Meetings
- (17) Approval of Minutes of Board of Directors' Meetings Held on October 19, 2011, and October 25, 2011

Next Scheduled Meetings:

February, 2012	Special Corporate Governance Committee Meeting (CEO Evaluation)
February, 2012	Special Audit Committee Meeting (Fourth Quarter Earnings Release and Form 10-K)
February 27, 2011	Nuclear Oversight Committee Meeting
February 27, 2011	Corporate Governance Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Regulatory Policy and Operations
February 27, 2011	Audit Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Finance and Risk Management Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Compensation Committee Meeting
February 28, 2012	Duke Energy Corporation Board Meeting

Maltz, David S < David Maltz@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Thursday, November 10, 2011 3:25 PM

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<Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>

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<Debby.Garrett@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

December Board/Committee agendas

Attach:

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John H. Forsgren Ann M. Gray		Others Present

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Matters to be reviewed and discussed:

- A. Discuss compensation and benefits issues related to the merger, including:
 - Amend the Progress SERP and merge it into the Duke Executive Cash Balance Plan
 - ii. Employment agreement for Chief Executive Officer and amendment to employment agreement for Executive Chairman

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Next scheduled meeting date: February 27, 2012

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BREAK (10:30-10:45)

- D. Five-Year (2012-2016) Business Plans (Lynn Good/Keith Trent/Dhiaa Jamil) (10:45–12:00)
- E. Executive Session (Jim Rogers) (12:00-12:39)
 - Report of the Audit Committee (Michael Browning)
 - Report of the Compensation Committee (Jim Hance)
 - Report of the Corporate Governance Committee (Ann Gray)
 - Report of the Finance and Risk Management Committee (Bill Barnet)

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED AND ACTED UPON:

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion

Second

Vote

Item Recommended from the Corporate Governance Committee:

- (1) Approval of Amended and Restated Stock Ownership Guidelines
- (2) Approval of Compensation/Related Party Transactions
- (3) Approval of Designation of Director Nominees
- (4) Approval of Determination of Director Independence
- (5) Approval of Determination that the Composition of Audit Committee Satisfies New York Stock Exchange and Securities and Exchange Commission Requirements
- (6) Approval of Designation of the Audit Committee Financial Experts
- (7) Approval of Date, Time and Place for 2012 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Record Date for Shareholders Entitled to Vote

Item Recommended from the Finance and Risk Management Committee:

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General Items:

- (13) Approval of the Appointment of Officers
- (14) Designation of the "Section 16 Officers" and Securities and Exchange Commission "Executive Officers"
- (15) Approval of Delegation of Authority to the Audit Committee to Approve the Filing of the Corporation's 2011 Annual Report on Form 10-K
- (16) Establish 2014 Dates and Locations of Board and Committee Meetings
- (17) Approval of Minutes of Board of Directors' Meetings Held on October 19, 2011, and October 25, 2011

Next Scheduled Meetings:

February, 2012	Special Corporate Governance Committee Meeting (CEO Evaluation)
February, 2012	Special Audit Committee Meeting (Fourth Quarter Earnings Release and Form 10-K)
February 27, 2011	Nuclear Oversight Committee Meeting
February 27, 2011	Corporate Governance Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Regulatory Policy and Operations
February 27, 2011	Audit Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Finance and Risk Management Committee Meeting
February 27, 2012	Compensation Committee Meeting
February 28, 2012	Duke Energy Corporation Board Meeting

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Jim

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Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 1:33 PM To: Rogers, Jim Subject: Notice of Appeal

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Thanks,

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seems very thoughtful (as one would anticipate) and directionally appropriate.....think all parties handled this well and properly...thanks for sharing.

In a message dated 12/14/2011 2:07:57 P.M. Eastern Standard Time, Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com writes:

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Thanks,
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Wednesday, December 7, 2011 2:46 PM

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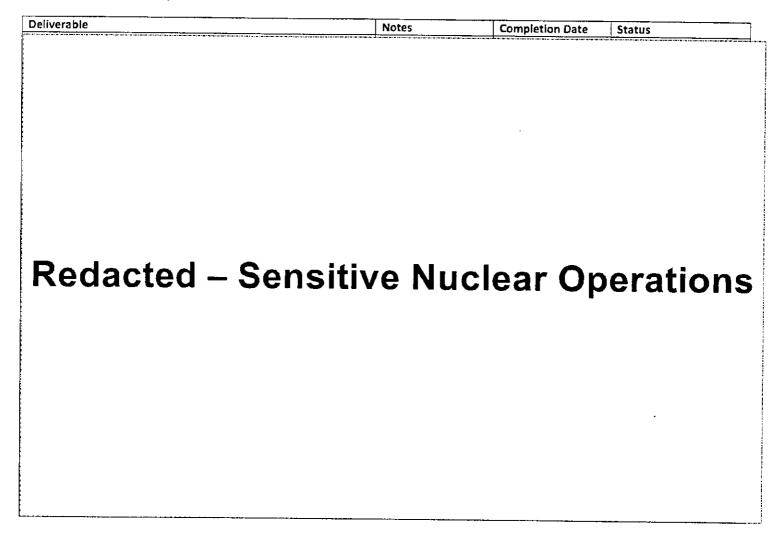
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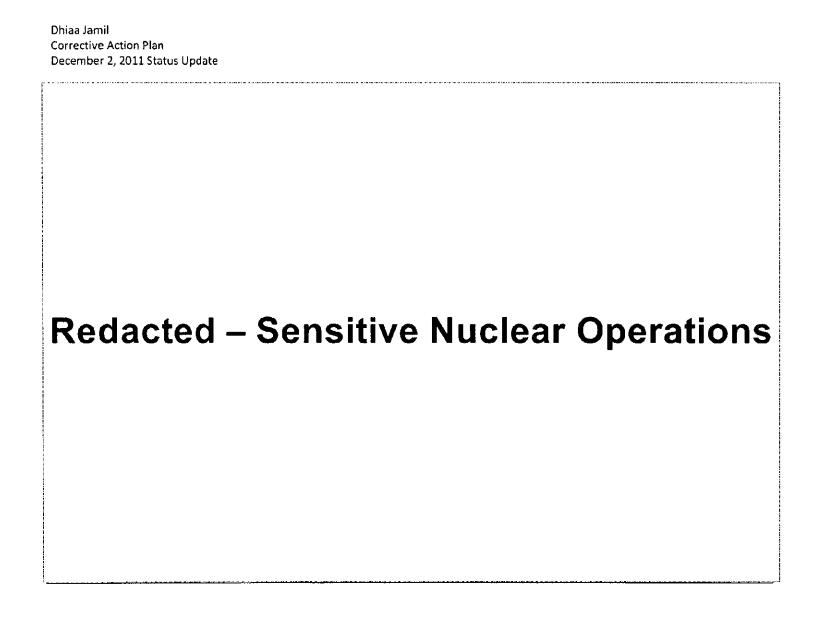
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From: Harrington, Sue C <Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com> Sent: Friday, March 2, 2012 3:51 PM Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>; Manly, Marc E < Marc.Manly@duke-To: energy.com>; Weber, Jennifer <Jennifer Weber@duke-energy.com>; Ringel, Robert J <Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>; Maltz, David S <David.Maltz@duke-energy.com>; (James Hance Reducted - Personal Info); Reinsch, Jim Redacted - Personal Info >; John Forsgren Redacted - Personal Info >; Bernhardt, Alex - bernhardt Redacted - Personal Info >; Ann M. Gray Redacted - Personal Info >; Dan DiMicco (Redacted - Personal Info); Rhodes, Jim Redacted - Personal Info >; Jim Hance Redacted - Personal Info >; Michael Browning Redacted - Personal Info >, |---- Sharp -=== Reducted - Personal Info > Barnet | W | Redacted - Personal Info > Cc: Currence, Kathy K < Kathy Currence (2) duke-energy com>, Miller, Monica L <Monica.Miller@duke-energy.com>; Sims, Bobbie A <Bobbie.Sims@duke-</p> energy.com>; Shannon, Patty <Patty.Shannon@duke-energy.com>; Kennedy, Karla D <Karla, Kennedy@duke-energy.com>; Garrett, Debby <Debby.Garrett@dukeenergy.com>; Bonny Light {Redacted - Personal Info >; Elizabeth Gilliam Redacted - Personal Info): Joyce Hiott | Redacted - Personal Info >: Kieca Pointdujour Redacted - Personal Info); Linda Canipe < Redacted - Personal Info >; Marilyn Voigt Reducted - Personal Info , Sandra S Thrower Redacted - Personal Info n>; Sandra Thrower Redacted - Personal Info n Special Telephonic Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting re 2012 Proxy Subject: Statement

The Compensation Committee will convene a special telephonic meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, March 19th. The purpose of the meeting is to review the compensation-related portions of the proxy statement, but all members of the Board are invited to join the meeting to ask any questions or provide any comments they would like to discuss with respect to the proxy statement. On or about March 14th, we will distribute (via BoardVantage) a draft of the proxy statement and more details about the special telephonic meeting, but we wanted to provide you with advance notice for scheduling purposes. Of course, anyone can provide comments separate from this meeting by contacting David Maltz or Bob Ringel any time prior to the proxy filing date.

Thank you, Sue

Sue C. Harrington
Assistant Corporate Secretary
Duke Energy Corporation
550 South Tryon St/DEC45A
P.O. Box 1321 (28201)
Charlotte, NC 28202
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Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com

Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Thursday, March 1, 2012 2:34 PM

To:

'Ann Gray' Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>; Garrett, Debby < Debby Garrett@duke-

energy.com>

Subject:

RE: June and August

Thanks Ann.

Marc E. Manly

Group Vice President, General Counsel, and Corporate Secretary

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Phone: Redacted - Personal Info email: marc.manly@duke-energy.com

From: Ann Gray [mailto Redacted - Personal Info] Sent: Thursday, March 01, 2012 2:32 PM

To: Manly, Marc E

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On a different note, we would also like to inform you of a new function we have added to our use of BoardVantage. In addition to past meeting books that will continue to be available for your access, we have also added a link to a document of each committee's past agendas (since the December 7-8, 2011 meetings). We thought this might assist you in the event you were attempting to find a particular item or document. You can click on the agenda link and review all past agendas for that particular committee. You can also do a word search within this document. Once you find the agenda item you were searching for, you can then go to the book for that particular meeting and review the related document. Unfortunately, due to the different configuration of the iPad versus the pc, this search functionality is currently not available on the iPad; however, the agendas are located in the document repository on the iPad.

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Alex Bernhardt < Redacted - Personal Info

Sent:

Wednesday, January 25, 2012 2:42 PM

To:

Jim Rogers <jim.rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: CONFIDENTIAL NEWS RELEASE - FYI - New Electric Rates Approved for Duke

Energy's South Carolina Customers

Congratulations !! Alex Bernhardt Sr. Sent By My Blackberry

From: "Rogers, Jim" [Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com]

Sent: 01/25/2012 03:13 PM EST

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Subject: Fw: CONFIDENTIAL NEWS RELEASE - FYI - New Electric Rates Approved for Duke Energy's South Carolina

Customers

The SC Commission approved our rate settlement. Attached is our press release which will be issued at 4:05 pm today.

The details of the approval are in the release. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Best, Jim

From: Shiel, Tom Jr

Sent: Wednesday, January 25, 2012 03:03 PM

To: Executive Distribution for New Releases - Franchised

Cc: Media Relations

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Date: 1/25/12

Time: 3 p.m. ET

Draft: FINAL

Release expected: 4:05 p.m. ET 1/25/12

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Jan. 25, 2012

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New Electric Rates Approved for Duke Energy's South Carolina Customers

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Public Service Commission of South Carolina (PSCSC) today approved an increase to electric rates for Duke Energy's South Carolina customers.

The PSCSC accepted the <u>settlement</u> among Duke Energy Carolinas, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, and Walmart Stores East.

"We're pleased the commission approved the settlement, which strikes a balance between the economic challenges facing our customers and the company's need to recover its capital investments," said Catherine Heigel, president, Duke Energy South Carolina. "This decision enables the company to continue to make needed investments to deliver reliable energy to customers at competitive rates and address compliance with ever-increasing environmental regulations."

Consistent with the approved settlement agreement, Duke Energy Carolinas will increase its customer rates in South Carolina by \$92.8 million, with an allowed return on common equity of 10.5 percent and a 53 percent equity component of the capital structure.

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The average rate increase is 5.98 percent, but the list below shows the approximate increase for each customer class. The specific increase for individual customers will vary, depending on the rate they pay and other factors.

- Residential 7.1 percent increase, approximately \$6 each month for customers who use 1,000 kilowatt-hours a month
- Commercial (general service) 5.2 percent
- Industrial 5.1 percent
- Lighting 5.8 percent

The new rates will go into effect on Feb. 6, 2012.

Additionally, Duke Energy Carolinas will donate \$4 million to <u>AdvanceSC</u>, a limited liability company established by Duke Energy in 2004 to support communities in Duke Energy's South Carolina service area. The money will be used for grants for low income assistance, education initiatives, economic development and existing manufacturing support.

Under the provisions of the revised rates, the company's current Bulk Power Marketing profit sharing allocation will change to provide 50 percent to AdvanceSC, 40 percent to customers, and 10 percent to the company. The previous formula provided 50 percent to AdvanceSC and 50 percent to the company.

As part of Duke Energy Carolinas' modernization plan, the company expects two new power plants to begin producing electricity for customers in 2012. As a result, the company plans to request an additional rate increase in 2012 to recover the costs of these new plants and other capital investments made on behalf of customers.

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The company continues to await a decision from the North Carolina Utilities Commission on its request to increase electric rates in North Carolina.

Money-Saving Opportunities for Customers

Duke Energy wants to help customers make the best use of every dollar spent on their energy-related costs. To learn more, visit www.duke-energy.com/youtility.

Duke Energy Carolinas owns nuclear, coal-fired, natural gas and hydroelectric generation. That diverse fuel mix provides approximately 19,000 megawatts of owned electric capacity to approximately 2.4 million customers in a 24,000-square-mile service area of North Carolina and South Carolina.

Duke Energy is one of the largest electric power holding companies in the United States. Its regulated utility operations serve approximately 4 million customers located in five states in the Southeast and Midwest, representing a population of approximately 12 million people. Its commercial power and international business segments own and operate diverse power generation assets in North America and Latin America, including a growing portfolio of renewable energy assets in the United States.

Headquartered in Charlotte, N.C., Duke Energy is a Fortune 500 company traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol DUK. More information about the company is available on the Internet at: www.duke-energy.com.

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From: Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2012 1:03 PM

To: Bernhardt, Alex - bernhardt < Redacted - Personal info >; 'amgray Redacted - Personal info |; 'dan.dimiccd Redacted - Personal info |; 'Reinsch, Jim Redacted - Personal Info |; 'Redacted - Personal info |; 'Redacted - Personal info |; 'Rhodes, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>; 'mbrowning[Redacted - Personal info |; 'Rhodes, Jim < Redacted - Personal info |; 'Rhodes, Jim < Rhodes (Redacted - Personal info |; 'Rhodes, Jim < Rhodes (Rhodes (Rhodes Rhodes (Rhodes Rhodes (Rhodes Rho

The earliest we will be able to post materials as to the Florida settlement will be noon tomorrow.

We received the 25-page settlement yesterday and are in the process of quantifying the impact on earnings and a future decision to either repair or retire Crystal River 3.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Manly, Marc E < Marc.Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Sunday, January 15, 2012 9:36 AM

To:

'dan.dimicco

Cc:

'amgrayRedacted - Personal Into '; Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Board call

Dan:

as you have seen, the best time next week for the board call on the progress request for consent re their proposed settlement is next thursday during a time unfortunately you will be unavailable. All other possible times had at least two members unavailable, so we picked the time that maximized attendance. We apologize and can provide you a separate briefing at any time most convenient to you.

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Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Saturday, January 14, 2012 9:58 AM

To:

amgray Reducted - Personal info

Cc:

Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Board call on florida

Ann: friday jim and I will be going in between raleigh and columbia meeting with public staff on merger mitigation measures and had to keep that day open as we work out meeting and travel schedules. I know dan won't be happy, but thursday was the best in terms of attendance and we will offer to give him a separate briefing at his convenience.

From: amgray Reducted - Personal Info | Mailto: Reducted - Personal Info |

Sent: Saturday, January 14, 2012 09:05 AM

To: Manly, Marc E Cc: Rogers, Jim

Subject: Re: Board call on florida

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exclude him.

If there is no other option, then Thurs at 430 is default

thanks, ann

---- Original Message ----- From: "Manly, Marc E"

Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012 12:41 am

Subject: Board call on florida

To: "'amgray Reducted - Personal Info ", "Rogers, Jim"

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Subject:
                 Re: Board call on florida
So Thurs it is!!
Freezing here and windy, 15 tonight and tomorrow!
thanks, Ann
---- Original Message ----
From: "Rogers, Jim"
Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012 10:12 am
Subject: Re: Board call on florida
To: "'amgrayRedacted - Personal Info | ", "Manly, Marc E"
> Ann,
> The reason Friday was never in the mix is Bill and I are meeting
> with the NC consumer rep in the morning and the SC guy in the
> afternoon.
> I hope you have a fun weekend. Very, very cold here.
> Best,
> Jim
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> Sent: Saturday, January 14, 2012 09:05 AM
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> Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012 12:41 am
> Subject: Board call on florida
> To: "'amgray Reducted - Personel Info ", "Rogers, Jim"
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amgrayReducted - Personal Info

Saturday, January 14, 2012 9:18 AM

Rogers, Jim <iim.rogers@duke-energy.com>

Manly, Marc E < marc.manly@duke-energy.com >

From:

Sent: To:

Cc:

Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Saturday, January 14, 2012 9:12 AM

To:

'amgray Reducted - Personal Info !'; Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Board call on florida

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Jim

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To: Manly, Marc E **Cc**: Rogers, Jim

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Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012 12:41 am

Subject: Board call on florida

To: "amgray Reducted - Personal Info]", "Rogers, Jim"

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Sent:

Saturday, January 14, 2012 8:05 AM

To:

Manly, Marc E <marc.manly@duke-energy.com>

Cc:

Rogers, Jim <jim.rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

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Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012 12:41 am

Subject: Board call on florida

To: "amgra Reducted - Personal Info ", "Rogers, Jim"

Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Saturday, January 14, 2012 7:42 AM

To:

Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>; 'amgrayRedacted - Personal anto

Subject:

Re: Board call on florida

Marc, that works. Let's talk today. Thanks.

---- Original Message -----

From: Manly, Marc E

Sent: Saturday, January 14, 2012 12:41 AM

To: 'amgray{ Redacted - Personal Info t>; Rogers, Jim Subject: Board calf on florida

Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Friday, January 6, 2012 6:02 PM

To:

Manly, Marc E < Marc.Manly@duke-energy.com>; Good, Lynn J < Lynn.Good@duke-

energy.com>

Subject:

Fw: No new news as to satisfying the FERC but late breaking news as to CR3.

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---- Original Message ----

From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Friday, January 06, 2012 07:00 PM

To: 'amgray(

Redacted - Personal Info

Subject: No new news as to satisfying the FERC but late breaking news as to CR3.

Ann,

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Sorry about this late breaking news....the timing is out of our control.

Best,

Jim

From: Harrington, Sue C < Sue. Harrington@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2012 1:39 PM

To: 'Ann M. Gray' <amgray Redacted - Personal Info Rogers, Jim < Jim. Rogers@duke-energy.com>;

Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>; Good, Lynn J < Lynn.Good@duke-

energy.com>; Maltz, David S < David.Maltz@duke-energy.com>

Cc: Currence, Kathy K <Kathy.Currence@duke-energy.com>; Sims, Bobbie A

<Bobbie.Sims@duke-energy.com>; Seaford, Robin T <Robin.Seaford@duke-</p>

energy.com>; Garrett, Debby <Debby.Garrett@duke-energy.com>

Subject: Schedule and Agendas for the February 27-28, 2012, Duke Energy Board and Committee

Meetings

Attach: 2012.02.27-28 Schedule and Board and Committee Agendas.pdf

Attached are the schedule and agendas for the February 27-28 Board and committee meetings to be discussed at tomorrow's planning session meeting at 4:00p.m.

Sue C. Harrington Assistant Corporate Secretary Duke Energy Corporation 550 South Tryon St/DEC45A P.O. Box 1321 (28201) Charlotte, NC 28202

Redacted - Personal Info

Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS - FEBRUARY 27-28, 2012

McGuire Nuclear Station - Huntersville, North Carolina

Corporate Headquarters – Duke Energy Center 550 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, North Carolina

MONDAY FEBRUARY 27, 2012	MEETING
7:45AM 1:00PM	Nuclear Oversight Committee (McGuire Nuclear Station Huntersville, North Carolina)
11:00AM - 12:30PM	Compensation Committee (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
12:00PM – 1:30PM	Lunch (Room 4659 – Duke Energy Center)
1:00PM 2:00PM	Corporate Governance Committee (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
2:00PM 4:30PM	Finance and Risk Management Committee (Board Room - Duke Energy Center)
4:30PM - 6:30PM	Audit Committee (Board Room – Duke Energy Center)
6:30PM	Reception and Dinner (The Vista (46 th Floor) – Duke Energy Center)
TUESDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2012	MEETING
6:30AM - 8:00AM	Breakfast (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)
8:00AM - 12:30PM	Duke Energy Board Meeting (Board Room – Duke Energy Center)
12:30PM - 1:00PM	Independent Directors Meeting, including lunch, and briefing of Chairman at end of session, if necessary (Room 4719 – Duke Energy Center)

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION NUCLEAR OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012 - 7:45 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

TRAINING CENTER AT MCGUIRE NUCLEAR STATION 12700 HAGERS FERRY ROAD, HUNTERSVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members: James T. Rhodes, Chair William Barnet, III G. Alex Bernhardt, Sr. E. James Reinsch Philip R. Sharp	Present	Secretary:		
Matter to be considered and acted upon:	*****	<u>Motion</u>	Second	<u>Vote</u>
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Matters to be discussed:				
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Executive Session	ment			

Next scheduled meeting date: May 2, 2012, at Catawba Nuclear Station

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION COMPENSATION COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012 - 11:00 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

ROOM 4719 AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members:	<u>Present</u>			
James H. Hance, Jr., Chair		Secretary		
Daniel R. DiMicco John H. Forsgren		Others Pres	ent	
Ann M. Gray		<u> </u>		
Matters to be considered	* * * * *	* * * * * * * *	* * * * *	* * * * * *
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Matters to be reviewed and discussed:

Redacted - Non Merger Business

Next scheduled meeting date:

March [__], 2012 (proxy statement)

May 2, 2012

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012 - 1:00 P.M. TO 2:00 P.M.

ROOM 4719 AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members: Pre Ann M. Gray, Chair Michael G. Browning Daniel R. DiMicco	SecretaryOthers Present
Matters to be considered and acted upon:	Motion Second Vote
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Next scheduled meeting date:	May 2, 2012

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION FINANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012 - 2:00 P.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members: William Barnet III, Chair Michael G. Browning Ann M. Gray James H. Hance, Jr. E. James Reinsch	Present	SecretaryOthers Present		
Matters to be considered and acted upon (2:00–2:30):	* * * * * *	Motion	Second	Vote
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Commercial Businesses Pro	<u>iects</u> (2:30–3:	15):		
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Matters to be reviewed (3:15-	-4:30):			
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Next scheduled meeting date	e: May 2, 20	12		

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2012 - 4:30 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Committee Members: Michael G. Browning, Chair G. Alex Bernhardt, Sr.	Present	Secretary		
John H. Forsgren James T. Rhodes Philip R. Sharp		Others Present	t	
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Matters to be considered and acted upon:		Motion Se	econd	<u>Vote</u>
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Matters to be reviewed:

Redacted - Non Merger Business

Next scheduled meeting date: May 2, 2012

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2012 – 8:00 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

BOARD ROOM AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

<u>Directors</u> :	<u>Present</u>	
James E. Rogers, Chair William Barnet, III G. Alex Bernhardt, Sr. Michael G. Browning Daniel R. DiMicco John H. Forsgren Ann M. Gray James H. Hance, Jr. E. James Reinsch James T. Rhodes Philip R. Sharp		Secretary Counsel Others Present
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Safety Message

- A. Independent Director Session (8:00-8:30)
- B. Executive Session (Jim Rogers) (8:30-9:30)
 - · Discussion of Chairman, President and CEO Evaluation
- C. Financial Report (Lynn Good) (9:30-10:00)
 - January Financial Results
 - 2012 Operating Plan Discussion

BREAK (10:00-10:10)

- D. Merger Integration Update, including Crystal River and Regulatory Strategy (Lynn Good/Dhiaa Jamil/Marc Manly/A.R. Mullinax) (10:10–10:45)
- E. Duke Energy Indiana's Edwardsport Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle (IGCC) Project Update (Marc Manly/Doug Esamann/Rick Haviland) (10:45–11:15)
- F. Commercial Businesses Report (Keith Trent) (11:15-11:45)
- G. Legal, Regulatory and Legislative Update Report (Marc Manly) (11:45-12:00)
- H. Executive Session (Jim Rogers) (12:00–12:30)
 - · Report of the Audit Committee (Michael Browning)
 - Report of the Compensation Committee (Jim Hance)
 - Report of the Corporate Governance Committee (Ann Gray)
 - Board Self-Assessment Questionnaire Results
 - Report of the Finance and Risk Management Committee (Bill Barnet)
 - Report of the Nuclear Oversight Committee (Jim Rhodes)

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED AND ACTED UPON:

Motion

Second

<u>Vote</u>

CONSENT AGENDA

Item Recommended from the Audit Committee:

(1) Approval of Deloitte & Touche LLP as Independent Accountant for 2012 and Shareholder Ratification of Such Selection

Item Recommended from the Compensation Committee:

(2) Approval of Compensation Pursuant to Say-On-Pay Vote

Item Recommended from the Corporate Governance Committee:

- (3) Approval of 2014 Dates and Locations of Board and Committee Meetings
- (4) Approval of Amendment to the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation

Items Recommended from the Finance and Risk Management Committee:

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General Items:

- (9) Approval of the 2012 Operating Plan
- (10) Approval of Amended and Restated Duke Energy Corporation Banking Resolutions
- (11) Approval of Minutes of Board of Directors' Meetings Held on December 8, 2011; December 20, 2011; January 19, 2012; February 6, 2012; and February 13, 2012

Next Scheduled Meetings:

March _, 2012 May 2, 2012 May 2, 2012 May 2, 2012 May 2, 2012 May 2, 2012	Compensation Committee (teleconference – proxy statement) Nuclear Oversight Committee Meeting Compensation Committee Meeting Corporate Governance Committee Meeting Finance and Risk Management Committee Meeting Audit Committee Meeting
May 3, 2012	Duke Energy Corporation Board Meeting/Annual Shareholder Meeting

From: Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Monday, April 4, 2011 11:50 AM

To: Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject: RE: Merger status and potential issues.

Jim.

Thanks so much for forwarding to me. Things are going well on this end. I head to Raleigh on Wednesday to present to the HR leadership team at Progress. Paula and AR set up a meeting with Bill while I'm there. It's a brief half hour meeting intended to understand his philosophy on some executive compensation topics, especially areas where we appear to be far apart. He also wants an update on where things stand related to the transition of their SERP.

I will let you know how it goes.

Again, I appreciate you keeping me in the loop on these matters.

See you later in the week.

----Original Message----

From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Monday, April 04, 2011 11:40 AM

To: Weber, Jennifer

Subject: Fw: Merger status and potential issues.

Jennifer, sorry. I forgot to add your name. I hope everything is going well?

---- Original Message ----

From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Monday, April 04, 2011 11:15 AM

To: Good, Lynn J; Jamil, Dhiaa M; Manly, Marc E; Mullinax, A R

Subject: Merger status and potential issues.

Team,

I talked with Ann this morning and in the course of the conversation she ask about the integration. After expressing my views (tone/arrogance/lack of respect/inflated sense of capability especially in light of their track record), she is properly concerned about a clash of cultures as I am.

I suggested that we address it at the board meeting. I would like to set out every issue that appears at this time we have a conflict-model; what is in Raleigh etc etc.

It is important that they have a clear point of view on these issues. It will enchance my ability to address these issues as you all kick them to Bill and me to resolve.

This email should not be shared with anyone.

Manly, Marc E < Marc Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, January 3, 2011 2:56 PM

To:

Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

RE: Write-up

It is because the code is a lassume that Jennifer or Bob is the moderator, so you just use the participant code. I will come over to the hangar and join you there. Lynn is trying to determine whether to join.

From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 2:53 PM

To: Manly, Marc E Subject: Re: Write-up

Would you send me the dial in numbers for comp committee. I believe some of us our going to do it from hanger.

From: Manly, Marc E

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 02:52 PM

To: Rogers, Jim; 'SARosenblum@ Redacted - Personal Info

Subject: RE: Write-up

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From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 2:44 PM To: Manly, Marc E; 'SARosenblum@reducted-Personal lank

Subject: Fw: Write-up

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From: Little, Nanci [Redacted - Personal Info Sent: Wednesday, December 29, 2010 02:47 PM

To: Rogers, Jim Subject: Write-up

Jim,

The draft write-up is below. Of course, I reserve the right to change my mind and reverse direction. Bill

The Executive Chairman will fulfill important roles internally and externally for the Company. Internally, he will advise and counsel the CEO on strategic and other matters. He will chair Board meetings and will represent the Board to the public.

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Manly, Marc E < Marc. Manly@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, January 3, 2011 2:52 PM

To:

Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>; 'SARosenblum@Radacted - Personal Info

Subject:

RE: Write-up

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From: Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Monday, January 3, 2011 12:37 PM

To: James Hance Redacted - Personal Info Reducted - Personal Info

amgray Redacted - Personal Info | jhforsgren | dan.dimicco | Redacted - Personal Info |

Cc: Rogers, Jim < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com >; Beverly Aisenbrey

Redacted - Personal Info >; Manly, Marc E < Marc.Manly@duke-energy.com>;

Good, Lynn J < Lynn Good@duke-energy.com>; Weber, Jennifer

<Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>; Harrington, Sue C <Sue.Harrington@duke-</p>

energy.com>

Bcc: r

Subject: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

Attach: Granite CC Deck 1 3 11.pdf

Attached are the materials (26 pages) for the Compensation Committee meeting at 4:00 today. The materials include a short PowerPoint describing the compensation and benefits considerations in Project Granite, as well as a number of items that Mr. Hance asked us to send in connection with CEO and Executive Chair compensation. If you would prefer that we fax the materials, please do not hesitate to let us know.

This document is a Board or Committee presentation. It is available for inspection.

Monday, September 27, 2010 9:58 PM Sent: amgray Redacted - Personal Info To: Subject: Re: Granite Update Ann, I will call early - 8 ish - looking forward to our conversation. Best, jim ---- Original Message ----Redacted - Personal Info From. amgrav To: Rogers, Jim Sent: Mon Sep 27 21:51:29 2010 Subject: Re: Granite Update Jim, Flexible all morning until I leave at 1130, so any time after 7am is fine Thx, Ann Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T ----Original Message ----From: "Rogers, Jim" < Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com> Date: Mon, 27 Sep 2010 21:34:07 Redacted - Personal info To: 'amgray' Subject: Re: Granite Update Ann, I just finished a dinner at my house for all the major givers in the company to the United Way. I will call in the morning to share the details. What is the best time for you? Best, Jim ---- Original Message ---Redacted - Personal Info From: amgrav To: Rogers, Jim Sent: Mon Sep 27 18:25:36 2010 Subject: Re: Granite Update Eager to fill in some of the details, look forward to speaking w you. Am at a Board mtg Tues aftn thru Wed-do you have any time tomorrow AM? Or this evening? If not, then Thurs possibly? ----Original Message-----From: Rogers, Jim To: Bernhardt, Alex Reducted - Personal Info To: 'amgray Reducted - Personal Info To: Barnet To: dan.dimicco Redacted - Personal Info To: Jim Hance To: Reinsch, Jim To: Rhodes, Jim To: John Forsgren To: 'mbrowning' Redacted - Personal Info To: ---: Sharp Cc: Good, Lynn J Ce: Manly, Marc E

Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

This is a brief update on the meeting that I had yesterday with the CEO of Platinum.

Subject: Granite Update Sent: Sep 27, 2010 5:53 PM

From:

We had a detailed discussion on several key items. The bottom line is we agreed to set Nov 15th or the first week of December as possible announcement dates. We also agreed to schedule a meeting in the next several weeks with the lead directors and CEOs of both companies.

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Candidly, we have much work to do to structure a deal that will work for both companies' shareholders. Some of the terms/concepts we discussed are as follows:

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I still believe that this has the potential to be a good deal for our shareholders and other stakeholders. I will continue to work to find a way forward.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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Sent:

Monday, September 27, 2010 9:51 PM

To:

Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Granite Update

Jim,

Flexible all morning until I leave at 1130, so any time after 7am is fine

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Date: Mon, 27 Scp 2010 21:34:07

To: 'arngray| Redacted Personal Info

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Tuesday, September 21, 2010 5:30 AM

To:

Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com

Cc:

amgray Redacted - Personal Info

Subject:

Re: Update: Granite

thank you...glad still on track....let me (us) know if we can help in any way....think these are issues identified at very start ...hope Sunday a good opportunity.

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Sent:

Monday, September 20, 2010 10:33 PM

To:

Jim Rogers < jim.rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Update:Granite

Good luck ! Press on ! This is the right one for us !

Alex

Alex Bernhardt Sr. Sent By My Blackberry

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Trent, Keith < Keith. Trent@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 15, 2011 2:52 PM

To:

Barnet W Redacted - Personal Info

Subject:

RE: DEO Auction and Commercial Transmission announcement

Thanks Bill. Same to you.

From: Wbarnet Redacted - Personal Info

Sent: Thursday, December 15, 2011 3:49 PM

To: Trent, Keith

Subject: Re: DEO Auction and Commercial Transmission announcement

thanks for this recap....interesting and informative...hope a great holiday for you and your family...best wishes for a great 2012...after today, sense it will extremely interesting.

In a message dated 12/15/2011 10:37:14 A.M. Eastern Standard Time, Keith Trent@duke-energy.com writes:

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Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, January 4, 2011 2:14 PM

To:

Henry.Morgenbesser@Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

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Subject:

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From: Henry Morgenbesser@

Redacted - Personal Info

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 10:48 AM

To: Ringel, Robert J Cc: Weber, Jennifer Subject: RE: Term sheet

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From: Ringel, Robert J [mailto:Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Sunday, January 02, 2011 8:37 PM

To: Morgenbesser, Henry , Morgenbesser, Henry

Cc: Weber, Jennifer Subject: FW: Term sheet

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Cc: Manly, Marc E, Weber, Jennifer

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Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

From:

Would you have time for a phone call with me and Bob Ringel prior to the compensation Committee meeting tomorrow? We can be flexible with your schedule- so either this evening or sometime tomorrow. I'd like to brief you on where we've ended up in our negotiations and propose a compromise on our approach to the SERP.

I don't believe the discussion will take long.

Jennifer

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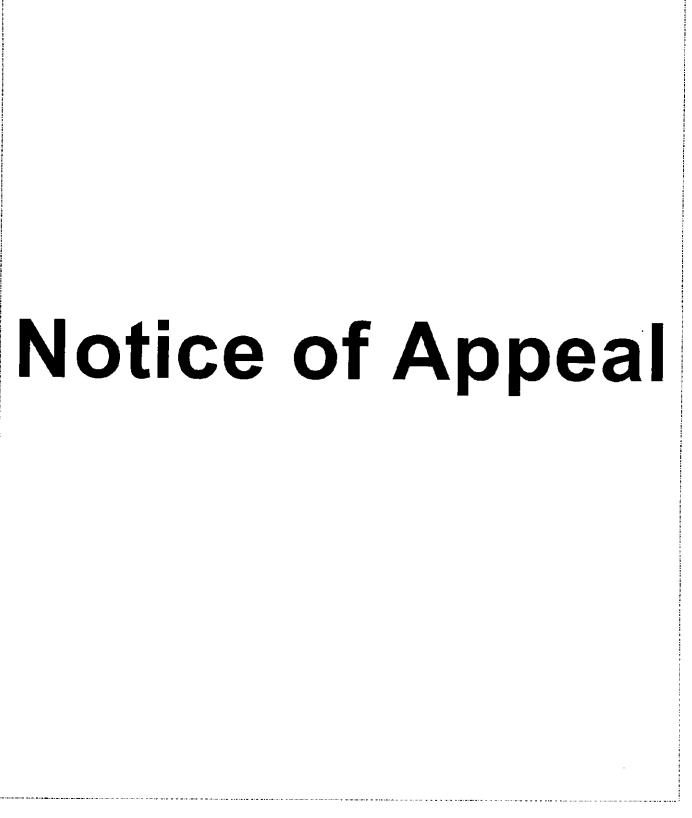
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Sent:

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To:

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Subject: Re: Availability for a Pre-Call

10:00 works for me if it works for Jennifer. Prior to our call, we will email you a draft of a short PowerPoint that, if you agree, we would like to email to the rest of the Committee members in advance of the call at 4:00. Should we check on Beverly's availability for a pre-call at 10:00 or would you like us to brief her separately? We can use my dial-in:

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From: James Hance | Redacted - Personal Info

Sent: Sunday, January 02, 2011 06:02 PM

To: Weber, Jennifer; James Hance Jr. < Redacted - Personal Info >

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: RE: Availability for a Pre-Call

Yes, I would appreciate a call. How about in the morning around 10? Jim

From: Weber, Jennifer [mailto:Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Sun 1/2/2011 3:30 PM To: James Hance Jr.; James Hance

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: Availability for a Pre-Call

Jim,

Would you have time for a phone call with me and Bob Ringel prior to the compensation Committee meeting tomorrow? We can be flexible with your schedule- so either this evening or sometime tomorrow. I'd like to brief you on where we've ended up in our negotiations and propose a compromise on our approach to the SERP.

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Jennifer		
I don't believe the discussion will take long.		

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Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Saturday, February 11, 2012 8:58 AM

To:

James H. Hance Jr. (Jim) Redacted - Personal Info Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

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Subject:

Compensation Committee Update

Jim,

As a follow-up to our pre-call last week, and in advance of our meeting on Monday morning, we wanted to provide you with an update on a few matters.

<!--[if !supportLists]-->1. <!--[endif]-->Agenda. As requested, we added an agenda item so that we can provide the Committee with an update on compensation and benefits issues related to the Progress merger.

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- <!--[if!supportLists]-->3. <!--[endif]--><u>CD&A</u>. In order to give the Committee a sense of the differences between the new CD&A and the version from last year, we added a short list of key differences at the beginning of this agenda item.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->4. <!--[endif]-->Miscellaneous. The Committee meeting is scheduled to end at 9:00, and the Board meeting is not scheduled to begin until 10:00. If you have a few minutes after the Compensation Committee meeting ends, we would like to update you on a few items so that you have additional background when you are reviewing the draft materials for the February 27th meeting (which we are scheduled to discuss by phone on Wednesday, February 15th).

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let us know.

Beverly Aisenbrey < Redacted - Personal Info >

Sent:

Monday, February 6, 2012 12:13 PM

To:

James Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance | Redacted - Personal Info)

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < robert.ringel@duke-energy.com>; Weber, Jennifer

<jennifer.weber@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Jim:

In advance of our call at 1 pm, I just have a couple of comments:

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Regards,

Beverly

Beverly W. Aisenbrey Managing Director Frederic W. Cook & Co., Inc. 303 South Broadway, Suite 108

Tarrytown, NY 10591
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Beverly Aisenbrey < Redacted - Personal Info >

Sent:

Sunday, October 9, 2011 6:32 PM

To:

James Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance (Redacted - Personal Info)

Cc:

Robert Ringel (Robert Ringel@duke-energy.com); Jennifer L Weber

(JLWeber@dukeenergy.com)

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Subject:

October Committee Book

Jim:

In reviewing the book, I had a number of background questions that I sent to Bob separately. There are some questions and comments that I wanted to bring to your attention:

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Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Sunday, October 23, 2011 12:12 PM

To:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert Ringel @duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Compensation Committee Update

Oops--forgot to copy her-can you forward and tell her I meant to copy her

From: Ringel, Robert J

Sent: Sunday, October 23, 2011 10:35 AM

To: Weber, Jennifer

Subject: Re: Compensation Committee Update

Did you want to also send to Beverly?

From: Weber, Jennifer

Sent: Friday, October 21, 2011 06:34 PM

To: jhhance Redacted - Personal Info James Hance < Redacted - Personal Info >

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: Compensation Committee Update

Jim,

As a follow-up to our pre-call last week, and in advance of our meeting on Monday morning, we wanted to provide you with an update on a few matters.

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From: James Hance Jr. < Redacted - Personal Info

Sent: Monday, March 19, 2012 2:13 PM

To: 'Weber, Jennifer' < jennifer.weber@duke-energy.com>

Subject: RE: Duke Compensation Committee

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From: Weber, Jennifer [mailto:Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Monday, March 19, 2012 2:35 PM

To: Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: Duke Compensation Committee

Jim,

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Please let us know if you agree with our approach to director compensation, and please don't hesitate to let us know if you have any questions.

Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, March 19, 2012 1:35 PM

To:

Jim Hance Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance Redacted - Personal Info >

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Duke Compensation Committee

Jim,

In connection with our next Compensation Committee meeting, which is on May 2nd, we would like to coordinate on a few matters.

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Please let us know if you agree with our approach to director compensation, and please don't hesitate to let us know if you have any questions.

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From: Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Thursday, March 15, 2012 8:36 PM

To: James H. Hance Jr. (Jim) Redacted - Personal Info >; jhhance Redacted - Personal Info

Cc: Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Subject: Fwd: Email to Jim Hance

Jim,

In connection with the special meeting of the Compensation Committee on Monday morning, March 19th, at 9:00, we wanted to provide a few updates.

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- <!--[if !supportLists]-->3. <!--[endif]-->The entire Board is invited to the call, which is consistent with our historical practice for reviewing the proxy statement. In the past, usually one or two Board members who are not on the Compensation Committee have joined the call.
- <!--[if !supportLists]-->4. <!--[endif]-->As in prior years, we anticipate that the call will be relatively short, but if there is anything in particular that you would like us to address, please let us know.
- <!-[if !supportLists]-->5. <!--[endif]-->Management will be attending the call from a conference room on the 48th floor of our headquarters building. If you are in Charlotte that morning, you are welcome to join us for the call.

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Looking forward to our call on Monday.

James Hance < Redacted - Personal Info >

Sent:

Thursday, March 1, 2012 4:34 PM

To:

Ringel, Robert J < robert.ringel@duke-energy.com>; jhhanceRedacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Beverly Aisenbrey Redacted - Personal Info Weber, Jennifer < jennifer.weber@duke-

energy.com>

Subject:

RE: Compensation Committee

Pre meeting for me is not necessary. Thanks, Jim

From: Ringel, Robert J [mailto:Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 01, 2012 4:19 PM
To: James Hance; Redacted - Personal Info
Cc: Beverly Aisenbrey; Weber, Jennifer
Subject: Compensation Committee

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Bob

Robert J. Ringel Vice President, Legal Duke Energy Shared Services 139 East Fourth Street Room 1212-Main Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

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Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Thursday, March 1, 2012 3:19 PM

To:

James Hance Redacted - Personal Info >, Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Beverly Aisenbrey Redacted - Personal Info , Weber, Jennifer

<Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>

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From:	jhhance Redacted - Personal Info					
Sent:	Sunday, February 26, 2012 8:56 AM					
To:	James Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); Beverly Aisenbrey Redacted - Personal Info					
Cc:	Ringel, Robert J < Robert Ringel@duke-energy.com>; Silvana Nuzzo Redacted - Personal Info; Jennifer L Weber (jlweber@dukeenergy.com)					
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Beverly Aisenbrey Redacted - Personal Info

Sent:

Sunday, February 26, 2012 7:09 AM

To:

James Hance Redacted - Personal Info p); James Hance Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Jennifer L Weber (jlweber@dukeenergy.com); Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-

energy.com>; Silvana Nuzzo Redacted - Personal Info

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FW: Duke Energy AIP Goals Exhibit

Attach:

AIP Program Detail Exhibit 2.24.12.pdf

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Weber, Jennifer <Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Thursday, February 23, 2012 1:05 PM

To:

Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance < Redacted - Personal Info

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J'<Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>
Compensation Committee Background Information

Subject: Attach:

Exhibit 5A - Exec Officers 2012 Comp Recommendations.xlsx; Impact on Edwardsport

Revised.docx

Jim.

I am writing to coordinate on a few items in connection with our upcoming Compensation Committee meeting, as well as to provide some background information that might be helpful when Marie McKee calls.

With respect to our Compensation Committee meeting, attached are the following two items.

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In addition to the materials on BoardVantage, we will bring the following walk-in items to the meeting: (a) the Edwardsport impact analysis mentioned above, (b) Jim Rogers' 2012 individual goals, and (c) at Beverly's request, a comparison of the number of shares covered by stock awards that were granted to each executive officer in 2011 as compared to the projected number that will be granted in 2012.

With respect to Marie, we are not sure why she will be calling you, but we wanted to provide additional background on a few matters in case they come up during your conversation. We have already discussed most of these matters with you during our Committee meetings or pre-meeting calls, but we thought it might be helpful to provide another summary. This is likely more detail than you need but I want you to be prepared in the event these topics come up.

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Compensation Committee. At Marie's request, last month we also had a call with Progress' independent compensation consultant (Meridian) to explain the background of our benchmarking philosophy so that they could provide recommendations to Marie on the use of general industry data.

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It is our understanding that Progress had a Compensation Committee meeting yesterday, and has another on March 12th. It is entirely possible that Marie is calling to give an update on the outcome of their meeting.

Please feel free to call me if you would like to discuss further.

Jennifer

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From:

Miller, Monica L < Monica. Miller@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, December 7, 2011 9:30 AM

To:

Miller, Monica L < Monica. Miller@duke-energy.com >; Ringel, Robert J

<Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>; Weber, Jennifer <Jennifer.Weber@duke-</p>

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Shannon, Patty <Patty.Shannon@duke-energy.com>; Currence, Kathy K

<kathy.Currence@duke-energy.com>; Garrett, Debby <Debby.Garrett@duke-

energy.com>; Harrington, Sue C <Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

JER 2011 STIP Closeout - FINAL

Attach:

JER 2011 STIP Closeout.docx; JER Performance 2011.docx

Attached is the Final STIP Closeout document as well as the Final board memo (as he discussed with Jennifer this morning).

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks

Monica Miller

Executive Assistant to James E. Rogers Chairman, President & CEO Duke Energy Corporation

550 South Tryon Street

Mail Code DEC48B Charlotte, NC 28202

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monica.miller@duke-energy.com

From: Miller, Monica L

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 9:10 AM

To: Ringel, Robert J; Weber, Jennifer

Cc: Shannon, Patty; Currence, Kathy K; Garrett, Debby; Harrington, Sue C

Subject: RE: JER 2011 STIP Closeout - Revised

See attached...

Jim plans to review this again so will let you know if there are any additional changes!

Monica Miller

Executive Assistant to James E. Rogers

Chairman, President & CEO Duke Energy Corporation

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From: Ringel, Robert 3

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 9:00 AM

To: Miller, Monica L; Weber, Jennifer

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Cc: Shannon, Patty; Currence, Kathy K; Garrett, Debby; Harrington, Sue C

Subject: RE: JER 2011 STIP Closeout - Revised

Can someone please re-send (nothing was attached)? I am copying Sue and Debby because they likely will distribute the packages.

From: Miller, Monica L

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 8:59 AM

To: Weber, Jennifer

Cc: Shannon, Patty; Currence, Kathy K; Ringel, Robert J

Subject: RE: JER 2011 STIP Closeout - Revised

Ok. I'll let you know if he has additional changes before the meeting.

Thanks!

Monica Miller
Executive Assistant to James E. Rogers
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550 South Tryon Street
Mail Code DEC48B
Charlotte, NC 28202

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monica.miller@duke-energy.com

From: Weber, Jennifer

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 8:57 AM

To: Miller, Monica L

Cc: Shannon, Patty; Currence, Kathy K; Ringel, Robert J

Subject: Re: JER 2011 STIP Closeout - Revised

Okay. Bob's team will make copies for the board. Thanks

From: Miller, Monica L

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 08:52 AM

To: Weber, Jennifer

Fax

Cc: Shannon, Patty; Currence, Kathy K Subject: JER 2011 STIP Closeout - Revised

Jim made changes to the 2011 STIP document this morning so I have attached for your record. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

Monica Miller
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Chairman, President & CEO
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Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, December 5, 2011 1:29 PM

To:

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Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Compensation Committee Update

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Jennifer



From:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, June 4, 2012 8:15 AM

To:

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Aisenbrey < Redacted - Personal Info >

Cc:

Weber, Jennifer <Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>; Kennedy, Karla D

<Karla.Kennedy@duke-energy.com>

Bcc:

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Subject:

Compensation Committee Materials - 6/25/12 Meeting

Jim and Beverly,

On Thursday, June 7th, or Friday, June 8th, we plan to post to BoardVantage a draft of the materials for our call on June 11th at 9:00 a.m. to discuss the materials for the Compensation Committee meeting on June 25th. We will notify you when the materials are posted for your review. The materials for this meeting include tally sheets, which are formatted on 11" x 14" paper, and therefore might be awkward to view on BoardVantage. If you would like to receive a hard copy of the tally sheets, or any other material, please let us know what location/address to mail your materials for delivery on Friday or Saturday.

For your convenience, the call-in information is below.

Toll Free Number - Redacted - Personal Info Participant Code - Redacted - Personal Info Participant Participant Report Participant Partici

Bob

Robert J. Ringel Vice President, Legal Duke Energy Shared Services 139 East Fourth Street Room 1212-Main Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

Phone: Redacted - Personal Info

robert.ringel@duke-energy.com

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James Hance Jr. < Redacted - Personal Info |>

Sent:

Sunday, May 13, 2012 9:59 AM

To:

'Weber, Jennifer' < Jennifer Weber@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

RE: Follow Up

Jennifer, the agenda and notes look fine. Let's see what develops in the next month before we finalize. Jim

From: Weber, Jennifer [mailto:Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 09, 2012 9:27 AM

To: James Hance; Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info 1)

Cc: Ringel, Robert J Subject: Follow Up

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Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2012 9:27 AM

To: James Hance < Redacted - Personal Info >; Jim Hance Redacted - Personal Info)

Cc: Ringel, Robert J < Robert Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Subject: Follow Up

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AGENDA

DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION COMPENSATION COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 2012 - 11:00 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M™

ROOM 4719 AT THE DUKE ENERGY CENTER CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Matter to be considered	* * * * * *	* * * * *	* * * * *	. * * * * *	: *
Matter to be considered and acted upon:		Motion	Second	Vote	

Matters to be discussed:

Redacted - Non Merger Business

4. Update on compensation and benefits issues related to the merger

Next scheduled meeting date: October 29, 2012

From: Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2012 12:21 PM

To: Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance Redacted - Personal Info

Cc: Ringel Robert J < Robert Ringel @duke-energy.com >; 'Beverly Aisenbrey'

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Subject: Director Compensation

Attach: Director Compensation_v2_0 (3) (5).DOC; FINAL FWC DECK 5-2-12.pdf

Jim,

In order to facilitate the discussion of the director compensation program at the meeting on Monday, attached is a two-page document that we will be ready to distribute as a walk-in item. The document summarizes the current Duke and Progress director compensation programs, and we added a column to the Duke chart to show the potential changes that the Duke Committee has previously discussed.

We are not planning to send the attached to Marie in advance of our call with her, but we will be ready to discuss with her depending on how the discussion goes with the Duke Compensation Committee on Monday.

We will also plan to bring Beverly's director compensation analysis from the May 2nd meeting (attached) as a walk-in item in case the Duke Committee would like to refer to the benchmarking information.

See you on Monday. Please feel free to give me a call if there is anything you would like to discuss in advance.

Jennifer

This document is a Board or Committee presentation. It is available for inspection.

Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, June 20, 2012 8:30 AM

To:

'James Hance Redacted - Personal Info ; 'jhhance Redacted - Personal Info ;'

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Director Compensation

Good idea--we will pull this together for Monday

From: James Hance [mailto: Redacted - Personal Info]

Sent: Wednesday, June 20, 2012 08:23 AM

To: Weber, Jennifer; jhhance

Redacted - Personal Info

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: RE: Director Compensation

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Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2012 5:51 PM

To: Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance

Cc: Ringel, Robert 3

Subject: Director Compensation

Jim,

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James Hance | Redacted - Personal Info |

Sent:

Wednesday, June 20, 2012 8:25 AM

To:

Weber, Jennifer < Jennifer. Weber@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

RE: Tier I Compensation

I am ok with this schedule.Jlm

From: Weber, Jennifer [mailto:Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2012 5:58 PM

To: Jim Hance (Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance

Cc: Ringel, Robert J

Subject: Tier 1 Compensation

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Sent:

Wednesday, June 20, 2012 8:24 AM

To:

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Attach:

LD1 - 2012 Exec Officers Compensation Recommendations v1.pdf

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Beverly Aisenbrey Redacted - Personal Info >

Sent:

Friday, June 8, 2012 4:15 PM

To:

James Hance Redacted - Personal Info); James Hance (Redacted - Personal Info)

Cc:

Ringel, Robert J < Robert.Ringel@duke-energy.com >; Weber, Jennifer

<Jennifer.Weber@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Tally Sheets

Jim:

I reviewed the Tally sheets and have the same questions/comments as in the past. Perhaps next year some changes could be considered:

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Also, a delivered pay analysis would be a good addition, particularly if companies begin to add them to their proxy statements.

Regards,

Beverly

Beverly W. Aisenbrey Managing Director

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Johnson, Bill < bill johnson Redacted - Person Info >

Sent:

Tuesday, May 15, 2012 12:47 PM

To:

'Rogers, Jim' <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

RE: Catherine Heigel

I will call you in the next day or so to discuss this and other general topics. A loss for us, but seems a good opportunity for her. I recall her telling me early on that she aspired to be a general counsel and then have a shot at the CEO chair; I thought she was talking internally, but opportunity knocked. As you know better than most, this is a hazard of having high quality employees. We can put our heads together on retention plans when we chat. Thanks for the note.

From: Rogers, Jim [mailto:Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com]

Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2012 11:33 AM

To: Johnson, Bill

Cc: Manly, Marc E; Weber, Jennifer **Subject:** Fw: Catherine Heigel

Bill, we have just lost our second top-tier female leader to another company. This is the memo I sent to the board. We need to talk about this.

Best, Jim

I'm writing to let you know that Catherine Heigel will be leaving Duke Energy to become general counsel and corporate secretary for American Transmission Corporation (ATC). Duke Energy will continue to have the benefit of Catherine's leadership until mid-June.

In the weeks ahead we will work to identify a successor and share more information as it becomes available.

Upon her relocation to ATC's headquarters in Wisconsin, Catherine will join the executive leadership team of a company that has a strategic relationship with Duke Energy. In 2011, Duke-American Transmission Company was formed as a joint venture to plan and develop strategic transmission projects across the U.S. and Canada. ATC was founded in 2001 as the first multi-state, transmission-only utility in the United States. The company operates a \$3.1 billion transmission system in parts of Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois.

Catherine's experience here at Duke Energy has prepared her well for her new role. She joined Duke Energy in 1997 providing legal support for Duke Engineering & Services (DE&S). From 2003 to 2006, she practiced law in the private sector. In 2006, Catherine joined our state regulatory group where she represented Duke Energy in a wide variety of issues before state utility commissions, including energy efficiency and general rate proceedings. In 2010 she was named president of Duke Energy South Carolina where she has been responsible for advancing our company's regulatory and legislative initiatives, managing state and local government relations, economic development and community relations.

Because she was such an effective leader, we have mixed feelings about Catherine's departure from the company.

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Please join me in congratulating Catherine on her success and thanking her for her contributions to our organization.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Best,

Jim

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Rogers, Jim <Jim.Rogers@duke-energy.com>

Sent:

Monday, January 3, 2011 1:17 PM

To:

Harrington, Sue C <Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com>

Subject:

Re: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

Thanks.

From: Harrington, Sue C

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 01:08 PM To: Rogers, Jim; Currence, Kathy K

Subject: RE: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

Be glad to!

Sue C. Harrington Assistant Corporate Secretary **Duke Energy Corporation** 526 South Church St/ECO3T P.O. Box 1006 (28201-1006) Charlotte, NC 28202 Phone: Reducted - Person late

Fax: [Redacted - Person Info]

Sue.Harrington@duke-energy.com

From: Rogers, Jim

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 1:03 PM To: Harrington, Sue C; Currence, Kathy K

Subject: Re: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

I have left the hotel. Could you fax to my house. Thanks.

From: Harrington, Sue C

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 12:54 PM To: Rogers, Jim; Currence, Kathy K

Subject: FW: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

I just faxed these materials to the Four Seasons, and they said they would deliver immediately to Jim.

Sue C. Harrington **Assistant Corporate Secretary Duke Energy Corporation** 526 South Church St/EC03T P.O. Box 1006 (28201-1006) Charlotte, NC 28202 Phone: Reducted - Person Info Fax: Reducted - Person Info Sue Harrington@duke-energy.com

From: Ringel, Robert J

Sent: Monday, January 03, 2011 12:37 PM

To: James Hance; 'I Redacted Personal Info '; amgray@Redacted Personal Info ; jhforsgren@: dan.dimicco@(reduced Personal Info ; phforsgren@: dan.d

Subject: Confidential - Duke Energy Compensation Committee Meeting Materials

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Attached are the materials (26 pages) for the Compensation Committee meeting at 4:00 today. The materials include a short PowerPoint describing the compensation and benefits considerations in Project Granite, as well as a number of items that Mr. Hance asked us to send in connection with CEO and Executive Chair compensation. If you would prefer that we fax the materials, please do not hesitate to let us know.