

Duke Energy CORP  
Form 8-K  
February 14, 2014

**UNITED STATES**  
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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **February 13, 2014**

<b>Commission file number</b>	<b>Registrant, State of Incorporation or Organization, Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Telephone Number</b>	<b>IRS Employer Identification No.</b>
1-32853	<b>DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION</b>  (a Delaware corporation)  550 South Tryon Street  Charlotte, North Carolina 28202-1803	20-2777218

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**DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC.**

31-0240030

(an Ohio corporation)

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Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

(704) 382-3853

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On February 13, 2014, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio denied the application filed on August 29, 2012 by Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. to establish a cost-based capacity price mechanism.

**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 14, 2014

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

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