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Duke Energy Corporation 6.30% Senior Notes due 2014 Pricing Term Sheet

Issuer: Duke Energy Corporation

Ratings (Moody s/S&P): Baa2/BBB+

Settlement: January 26, 2009 (T+3)

Trade Date: January 21, 2009

Interest Payment Dates: Semi-annually on February 1 and August 1, commencing

August 1, 2009

Security Description: 6.30% Senior Notes due 2014

Principal Amount: \$750,000,000

Maturity: February 1, 2014

Coupon: 6.30%

Benchmark Treasury: 1.500% due December 31, 2013

Benchmark Treasury Yield: 1.594%

Spread to Benchmark Treasury: +475 bps

Yield to Maturity: 6.344%

Initial Price to Public: 99.812% per Note

Redemption Provisions:

Make-Whole Call: +50 bps

Denominations: \$2,000 or any integral multiple of \$1,000 in excess thereof

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