

EITEL JOHN TIMOTHY
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 EITEL JOHN TIMOTHY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL INC [RJF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 880 CARILLON PARKWAY
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/07/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive Officer - RJA

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount or Price			
Common Stock	12/07/2005		A	V	559 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0 30,688	D	
Common Stock						11,725	I	ESOP
Common Stock						1,365	I	Spouse

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.33					11/28/2004 ⁽⁶⁾ 01/28/2007	Common Stock	9,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.03					12/10/2005 ⁽²⁾ 02/10/2008	Common Stock	7,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.2					12/04/2006 02/04/2009	Common Stock	3,828
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.2					12/04/2006 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/04/2009	Common Stock	8,172
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.46					12/01/2008 ⁽⁵⁾ 02/01/2011	Common Stock	7,506
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.46					12/01/2008 ⁽³⁾ 02/01/2011	Common Stock	2,494

buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
EITEL JOHN TIMOTHY 880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716			Executive Officer - RJA	

Signatures

John Timothy
Eitel 12/07/2005

**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).
- (1) Award of stock as portion of annual bonus
- (2) Options Becoming Exercisable - 1,125 on 12/10/2005, 2,625 on 12/10/2006 and 3,750 on 12/10/2007
- (3) Options Becoming Exercisable - 247 on 12/1/2008, 247 on 12/01/2009, and 2,000 on 12/02/2010
- (4) Options Becoming Exercisable - 252 on 12/4/2006, 720 on 12/04/2007, 3,600 on 01/04/2008 and 3,600 on 01/04/2009
- (5) Options Becoming Exercisable - 5,753 on 12/01/2008, and 1,753 on 12/01/2009
- (6) Options Currently exercisable 7,200 Options Becoming exercisable - 1,800 on 11/28/2006

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