

ZANK DENNIS W
Form 4
December 14, 2004

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ZANK DENNIS W

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)

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/10/2004

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

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

President - RJA

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)	
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	12/10/2004		A		3,343 (1)	\$ 0	89,477	D
Common Stock							27,165	I
								ESOP

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	\$ 13.75					11/18/2002 01/18/2005	Common Stock	9,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.33					11/28/2004 ⁽²⁾ 01/28/2007	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.03					12/10/2005 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2008	Common Stock	35,463
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.03					12/10/2007 02/10/2008	Common Stock	2,037
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.2					12/04/2006 02/04/2009	Common Stock	4,800
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.2					01/04/2008 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/04/2009	Common Stock	7,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ZANK DENNIS W 880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716			President - RJA	

Signatures

Dennis W. Zank 12/13/2004

____Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 Currently Exercisable 2,946, Options Becoming exercisable - 4,687 on 11/28/2005, 4,688 on 11/28/2006 and 2,679 on 1/02/2007
- (3) Options Becoming exercisable - 22,500 on 12/10/2005, 7,500 on 12/10/2006 and 5,463 on 12/4/2007
- (4) Options Becoming exercisable - 3,600 on 1/04/2008 and 3,600 on 1/04/2009

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