RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL INC

Form 5

Stock

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November 12, 2008

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/04/2006	02/04/2009	Common Stock	6,750 (2)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.9733	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/01/2008	02/01/2011	Common Stock	6,000 (3)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.44	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/27/2010	01/27/2013	Common stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. Programme and the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Matecki Paul 880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33702	Â	Â	General Counsel	Â			

Signatures

Paul Matecki	11/11/2008			
**Signature of	Date			

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- * 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) Includes number of shares acquired under ESOP through 09/30/08
- (2) Options Currently Exercisable 5,400; Options becoming exercisable 1,350 on 12/04/2008
- (3) Options Becoming Exercisable 3,000 on 12/01/2008, 1,800 on 12/01/2009 and 1,200 on 12/01/2010
- (4) Options Becoming Exercisable 2,250 on 11/27/2010; 1,750 on 11/27/2011; and 1,000 on 11/27/2012

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