

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL INC
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
AVERITT RICHARD G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

880 CARILLON PARKWAY

(Street)

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
09/30/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
CEO - RJFS

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(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) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/12/2008	^	G	770 D \$0	261,197	D	^
Common Stock	09/12/2008	^	G	770 D \$0	260,427	D	^
Common Stock	^	^	^	^ ^ ^ ^	40,998 ⁽¹⁾	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)		
						(A)	(D)	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/04/2008	02/04/2009	Common Stock	10,800
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.8	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/04/2006	02/04/2009	Common Stock	7,200
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.9733	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/01/2008	02/01/2012	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.44	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/27/2010	01/27/2014	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
AVERITT RICHARD G 880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716	Â	Â	Â	CEO - RJFS Â

