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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL INC [RJF] Bailey Peter (Month/Day/Year) 03/25/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 880 CARILLON PARKWAY (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) ST. Form filed by More than One President & CEO RJ Ltd. PETERSBURG, Â FLÂ 33716 Reporting Person (State) (City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Form:

Ownership Ownersh Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	•		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)

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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	08/13/2004	09/13/2006	Common Stock	5,625 <u>(1)</u>	\$ 12.9288	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	02/26/2007	03/26/2009	Common Stock	9,000 (2)	\$ 16.9466	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	12/01/2008	01/01/2011	Common Stock	9,000 (3)	\$ 24.9733	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bailey Peter 880 CARILLON PARKWAY ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716	Â	Â	President & CEO RJ Ltd.	Â		

Signatures

Peter Bailey 09/22/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options Currently Exercisable 4,500. Options Becoming exercisable 1,125 on 08/13/2006
- (2) Options Becoming exercisable 5,400 on 02/26/2007, 1,800 on 02/26/08 and 1,800 on 02/26/09
- (3) Options Becoming exercisable 5,400 on 12/01/2008, 1,800 on 12/01/09 and 1,800 on 12/01/10

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