SIMMONS HARDWICK

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SIMMONS HARDWICK Issuer Symbol RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL (Check all applicable) INC [RJF] X_ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 880 CARILLON PARKWAY 07/30/2007 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitor Dispose (Instr. 3,	sed of	` '	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)
Common Stock	07/30/2007		M	2,531	A	\$ 13 5555	25,031	D	

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	rities nired or osed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.3555	07/30/2007		M		2,531	05/29/2006	05/29/2008	Common Stock	2,531
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.0666						02/12/2007	02/12/2009	Common Stock	3,375
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.3333						02/18/2008	02/18/2010	Common Stock	2,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.1333						02/17/2009	02/17/2011	Common Stock	2,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.82						02/16/2010	02/16/2012	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SIMMONS HARDWICK							
880 CARILLON PARKWAY	X						
ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716							

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Hardwick Simmons 07/31/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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