

AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL INC
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HUNTER KELLI A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL INC [AMP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
707 SECOND AVENUE SOUTH
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/30/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Exec VP of Human Resources

MINNEAPOLIS MN 55474

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	09/30/2005		A		6,418	A	\$ 0
Common Stock <u>(3)</u>	10/03/2005		A		5,709	A	\$ 0

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

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- (4) Employee stock option granted under Ameriprise Financial 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan in substitution of employee stock option originally granted to the reporting person under the American Express Company 1998 Incentive Compensation Plan, adjusted to reflect the distribution of Ameriprise Financial, Inc. on September 30, 2005.

- (5) The reported employee stock option, granted under the Ameriprise Financial 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan, will become exercisable on the same schedule as the American Express Company stock option it replaced; in four equal installments on June 23, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.

- (6) The reported employee stock option, granted under the Ameriprise Financial 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan, will become exercisable in four equal installments on October 3, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.

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