GRIFFIN KENNETH C

Form 4

January 21, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CITADEL L P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

01/15/2009

E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP

(Check all applicable)

[ETFC]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director Officer (give title below)

X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C., 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND

(Street)

01/16/2009

01/16/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

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Person

CHICAGO, IL 60603

FLOOR

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	ired, 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. Securities on (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a	osed o		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/15/2009		X	200	A	\$ 5	3,813	D (1)	
Common Stock	01/16/2009		X	5,100	A	\$ 5	8,913	D (1)	

500

6,000

D

D

\$ 10 8,413

\$ 7.5 2,413

X

X

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Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	1,000	D	\$ 40	1,413	D (1)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	10,000	D	\$ 20	0	D (1) (8)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	16,700	D	\$ 15	0	D (1) (8)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	600	A	\$ 20	556,445	D (2) (4)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	125,500	D	\$ 5	430,945	D (2)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	31,100	D	\$ 10	399,845	D (2)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	36,600	D	\$ 15	363,245	D (2)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	32,600	D	\$ 7.5	330,645	D (2)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	13,000	D	\$ 12.5	317,645	D (2)
Common Stock	01/16/2009	X	31,200	D	\$ 2.5	286,445	D (2)
Common Stock						88,812,336	D (3)

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)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		Expiration D	Date Exercisable and expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		Amoui Securit 4)	
			Code V	and	tr. 3, 4, 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
PUT OPTION: EUSMA	\$ 5	01/15/2009	X		2	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	2

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[OBLIGATION TO BUY]								
PUT OPTION: EUSMA [OBLIGATION TO BUY]	\$ 5	01/16/2009	X	51	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	5,
PUT OPTION: EUSMB [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 10	01/16/2009	X	5	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	5
PUT OPTION: EUSMU [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 7.5	01/16/2009	X	60	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	6,
PUT OPTION: EUSMY [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 40	01/16/2009	X	10	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	1,
PUT OPTION: EUSMD [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 20	01/16/2009	X	100	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	10
PUT OPTION: EUSMC [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 15	01/16/2009	X	167	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	16
PUT OPTION: EUSMD [OBLIGATION TO BUY]	\$ 20	01/16/2009	X	6	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	6
PUT OPTION: EUSMA [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 5	01/16/2009	X	1,255	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	125
PUT OPTION: EUSMB [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 10	01/16/2009	X	311	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	31
PUT OPTION: EUSMC [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 15	01/16/2009	X	366	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	36
PUT OPTION: EUSMU [RIGHT TO	\$ 7.5	01/16/2009	X	326	(5)	01/17/2009	Common Stock	32.

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SELL]								
PUT OPTION: EUSMV [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 12.5	01/16/2009	X	130	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	13.
PUT OPTION: EUSMZ [RIGHT TO	\$ 2.5	01/16/2009	X	312	<u>(5)</u>	01/17/2009	Common Stock	31.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CITADEL L P C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP LLC 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL EQUITY FUND LTD C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
GRIFFIN KENNETH C C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL ADVISORS LLC C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL HOLDINGS I LP C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL HOLDINGS II LP C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
Citadel Derivatives Group, LLC C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR		X					

Reporting Owners 4

CHICAGO, IL 60603

CITADEL DERIVATIVES TRADING LTD C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN ST., 32ND FLOOR

X

CHICAGO, IL 60603

CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603

X

Signatures

/s/ John C. Nagel, Authorized Signatory

01/21/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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) This security is owned by Citadel Derivatives Trading Ltd.
- (2) This security is owned by Citadel Derivatives Group LLC.
- (3) This security is owned by Citadel Equity Fund Ltd.
 - The holdings of Citadel Derivatives Group LLC prior to execution of the buy transaction described in this Form 4 reflects a transfer of 248 shares of Common Stock that occurred on November 18, 2008 and was inadvertently omitted from the Reporting Persons' prior Form
- 4 filings. These 248 shares of Common Stock were transferred on November 18, 2008, for no consideration, to satisfy the Reporting Persons' delivery obligation resulting from an open short position with respect to 179 units of the Issuer's Corporate Units (as defined in the prospectus supplement filed by the Issuer on November 18, 2005), which short position had been established before the Reporting Persons became beneficial owners of more than 10% of the Issuer's common stock.
- The securities listed are exchange-traded option contracts. Exchange-traded options are immediately exercisable and remain exercisable until expiration. The transactions shown resulted from the exercise of in-the-money option contract by a third party or by the Reporting Persons
- The Form 4 filed by the Reporting Persons regarding option exercises on January 5, 2009 erroneously reported in column 9 of Table II that, following the exercise reported on such Form 4, the Reporting Persons beneficially owned no EUSMA Put Options contracts [Obligation to Buy]. It should have reported that, following the exercise reported on that Form 4, the Reporting Persons beneficially owned 53 EUSMA Put Options contracts [Obligation to Buy].
- The Form 4 filed by the Reporting Persons regarding option exercises on October 9, 2008 erroneously reported in column 9 of Table II that, following the exercise reported on such Form 4, the Reporting Persons beneficially owned no EUSMD Put Options contracts [Obligation to Buy]. It should have reported that, following the exercise reported on that Form 4, the Reporting Persons beneficially owned 6 EUSMD Put Options contracts [Obligation to Buy].
- (8) The Reporting Persons borrowed shares to cover the sales resulting from the exercise of this option.

Remarks:

Each of the Reporting Persons expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities described herein except to the extent of such person's pecuniary interest therein.

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