

SHIELDS KENNETH A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SHIELDS KENNETH A

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 880 CARILLON PARKWAY  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/03/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chairman - RJLtd

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33716  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/03/2006		M	12,000 A \$ 21.3333	41,177	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2006		S	12,000 D \$ 42.4035	29,177	D	
Common Stock					5,805	I	Registered Retirement Plan (RRSP, CA)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.33	02/03/2006		M	12,000	11/28/2004 <sup>(1)</sup> 12/28/2006	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.2					12/04/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/04/2009	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.46					12/01/2008 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/01/2011	Common Stock
RJF Class D Exchangeable Shares	\$ 0					01/01/2001 01/31/2011	Common Stock
RJF Class E Exchangeable Shares	\$ 0					01/01/2003 01/31/2011	Common Stock
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
	X		Chairman - RJLtd	

