AMERITRADE HOLDING CORP

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FORM 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

Form 5 obligations may continue. *See* Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

AMERITRADE HOLDING CORP

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

RICKETTS J JOE

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

				[AMTD]			(Check an applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4211 SOUTH 102ND STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2005			_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting					
OMAHA, NE 68127								Person			
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie n(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a	osed c		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
	Common Stock	03/31/2005			<u>J(1)</u>	450,718	A	<u>(1)</u>	66,867,343 (<u>2)</u>	D	
	Common Stock								8,186,688	I	By Dynasty Trust
	common stock								6,161,822 <u>(3)</u>	I	By Spouse
	common stock								8,186,112	I	By Spouse's Dynasty Trust

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or]
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date Expiration Exercisable Date	Expiration		or		
							Title	of			
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RICKETTS J JOE 4211 SOUTH 102ND STREET	X	X					
OMAHA, NE 68127	Λ	Λ	Chairman				

Signatures

/s/ J. Peter Ricketts as attorney-in-fact for J. Joe Ricketts

04/04/2005

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
 - Transfers from the Marlene M. Ricketts 1999 Irrevocable Trust f/b/o J. Peter Ricketts, the Marlene M. Ricketts 1999 Irrevocable Trust
- f/b/o Todd M. Ricketts, the Marlene M. Ricketts 1999 Irrevocable Trust f/b/o Laura M. Ricketts and the Marlene M. Ricketts 1999 Irrevocable Trust f/b/o Thomas S. Ricketts to Mr. Ricketts for no consideration.
- (2) Includes shares jointly owned by Mr. Ricketts and his spouse.
- (3) Does not include shares jointly owned by Mr. Ricketts and his spouse, which shares are included in Mr. Ricketts' direct holdings total.

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