AMERITRADE HOLDING CORP Form 8-K April 12, 2005

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

#### FORM 8-K

## **Current Report** Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 12, 2005

### **Ameritrade Holding Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0.40002

Delaware	0-49992	82-0343130
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)
4211 South 102 <sup>nd</sup> Street		
Omaha Nebraska		68127

Omaha, Nebraska (Address of principal executive offices)

Dalarrana

(Zip Code)

92 05/2156

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (402) 331-7856

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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## Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 12, 2005, the Registrant released its financial results for its second fiscal quarter ended March 25, 2005. A copy of the news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

#### **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

- (c) Exhibits
- 99.1 News Release issued by the Registrant on April 12, 2005

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: April 12, 2005 AMERITRADE HOLDING CORPORATION

By: /s/ John R. MacDonald
John R. MacDonald
Executive Vice President,
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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