GRIFFIN KENNETH C

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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

See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CITADEL L P

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP [ETFC]

(Middle)

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

07/17/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

X__ 10% Owner __ Other (specify

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(First) C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT

GROUP, L.L.C., 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND

FLOOR

Common

Stock

07/19/2008

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Officer (give title

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

 $D^{(1)}$

Person

\$ 5 569,193

CHICAGO, IL 60603

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/17/2008		X	2,500	D	\$ 3	570,993	D (1)	
Common Stock	07/19/2008		X	200	A	\$ 7	571,193	D (1)	
Common Stock	07/19/2008		X	2,000	A	\$8	573,193	D (1)	

4,000

D

X

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Common Stock	07/19/2008	X	100	D	\$ 10	569,093	D (1)
Common Stock	07/19/2008	X	3,000	D	\$ 4	566,093	D (1)
Common Stock	07/19/2008	X	10,600	D	\$ 3	555,493	D (1)
Common Stock						2,713	D (2)
Common Stock						79,867,087	D (3)
Common Stock						8,945,249	D (4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		` •	ate	7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
CALL OPTION: EUSGG [OBLIGATION TO SELL]	\$ 3	07/17/2008		X	25	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	2,50
PUT OPTION: EUSSJ [OBLIGATION TO PURCHASE]	\$ 7	07/19/2008		X	2	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	200
PUT OPTION: EUSSK [OBLIGATION	\$ 8	07/19/2008		X	20	(5)	07/19/2008	Common Stock	2,00

TO PURCHASE]								
PUT OPTION: EUSSA [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 5	07/19/2008	X	40	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	4,00
PUT OPTION: EUSSB [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 10	07/19/2008	X	1	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	100
PUT OPTION: EUSSH [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 4	07/19/2008	X	30	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	3,00
CALL OPTION: EUSGG [OBLIGATION TO SELL]	\$ 3	07/19/2008	x	106	<u>(5)</u>	07/19/2008	Common Stock	10,60

Reporting Owners

Signatory

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	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 FL CHICAGO, IL 60603		X				
CITADEL AC INVESTMENTS LTD C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET 32ND FL CHICAGO, IL 60603		X				
GRIFFIN KENNETH C C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET 32ND FL CHICAGO, IL 60603		X				
Signatures						
/s/ John C. Nagel, Authorized	21/2008					

Reporting Owners 3

07/21/2008

Date

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- * 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 Group LLC.
- (2) This security is owned by Citadel Derivatives Trading Ltd.
- (3) This security is owned by Citadel AC Investments Ltd.
- (4) This security is owned by Citadel Equity Fund Ltd.
- Each of the securities listed is an exchange-traded option contract. Exchange-traded options are immediately exercisable and remain exercisable until expiration. The transaction shown resulted from the exercise of in-the-money option contracts by Citadel Derivatives Group LLC or by third parties.

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.

A Form 4 is limited to a maximum of ten reporting persons. As a result, this Form 4 is one of two filed today reporting on the same securities by the following eleven joint filers: Citadel Investment Group, L.L.C., Citadel Limited Partnership, Citadel Equity Fund Ltd., Citadel AC Investments Ltd., Kenneth Griffin, Citadel Investment Group II, L.L.C., Citadel Holdings I LP, Citadel Holdings II LP, Citadel Advisors LLC, Citadel Derivatives Group LLC and Citadel Derivatives Tradir Ltd.

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