### E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4 April 22, 2008

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CITADEL ADVISORS LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP

[ETFC]

04/19/2008

(Check all applicable)

(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 II, L.L.C., 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FL

(Street)

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 Person

CHICAGO, IL 60603

(City) (State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

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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)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
PUT OPTION: EUSPL [OBLIGATION TO BUY]	\$ 9	04/19/2008		X	269	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	26,90
PUT OPTION: EUSPM [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 11	04/19/2008		X	207	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	20,70
PUT OPTION: EUSPN [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 12	04/19/2008		X	151	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	15,10
PUT OPTION: EUSPO [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 13	04/19/2008		X	312	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	31,20
PUT OPTION: EUSPP [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 14	04/19/2008		X	240	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	24,00
PUT OPTION: EUSPC [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 15	04/19/2008		X	292	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	29,20
PUT OPTION: EUSPQ [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 16	04/19/2008		X	40	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	4,00
PUT OPTION: EUSPM [OBLIGATION TO BUY]	\$ 11	04/19/2008		X	46	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	4,60
PUT OPTION: EUSPQ [OBLIGATION TO BUY]	\$ 16	04/19/2008		X	3	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	300
PUT OPTION: EUSPI [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 6	04/19/2008		X	279	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	27,90

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PUT OPTION: EUSPK [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 8	04/19/2008	X	179	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	17,90
PUT OPTION: EUSPL [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 9	04/19/2008	X	334	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	33,40
PUT OPTION: EUSPB [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 10	04/19/2008	X	121	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	12,10
PUT OPTION: EUSPN [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 12	04/19/2008	X	355	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	35,50
PUT OPTION: EUSPC [RIGHT TO SELL]	\$ 15	04/19/2008	X	9	(3)	04/19/2008	Common Stock	900

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CITADEL ADVISORS LLC C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FL 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 CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL DERIVATIVES TRADING LTD C/O CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					
CITADEL INVESTMENT GROUP II, L.L.C. 131 S. DEARBORN STREET, 32ND FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60603		X					

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## **Signatures**

/s/ John C. Nagel, Authorized Signatory

04/22/2008

\*\*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 Group LLC.
- (2) This security is owned by Citadel Derivatives Trading Ltd.
  - Each of the securities listed is an exchange-traded option contract. Exchange-traded options are immediately exercisable and remain
- (3) exercisable until expiration. The transaction shown resulted from the exercise of in-the-money option contracts by Citadel Derivatives Group LLC, by Citadel Derivatives Trading Ltd. 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 Advisors LLC, Citadel Derivatives Group LLC and Citadel Derivatives Tradir Ltd.

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