

AMEREN CORP
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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DAVIS JIMMY L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
P. O. BOX 66149
(Street)
ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMEREN CORP [AEE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/16/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Vice President of Subsidiary

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value | | | | | | I | By 401K |
| Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value | | | | | | I | By ESOP |
| Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value | 11/16/2004 | | M | 4,850 A | \$ 39.25 | 10,738 | D |
| Common Stock, \$.01 | 11/16/2004 | | S | 4,850 D | \$ 49.02 | 5,888 | D |

Par Value

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option | \$ 39.25 | | | | | 04/28/2000 04/28/2008 | Common Stock, \$01 Par Value | 7,275 |
| Stock Option | \$ 36.625 | | | | | 02/12/2001 02/12/2009 | Common Stock, \$01 Par Value | 10,700 |
| Stock Option | \$ 31 | | | | | 02/11/2002 02/11/2010 | Common Stock, \$01 Par Value | 14,100 |
| Stock Option | \$ 39.25 | 11/16/2004 | | M | 4,850 | 04/28/2000 04/28/2008 | Common Stock, \$01 Par Value | 4,850 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|---------------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| DAVIS JIMMY L P. O. BOX 66149 ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149 | | | | Vice President of Subsidiary |

Signatures

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. for Jimmy L.
Davis

11/18/2004

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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