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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person * AMERIC			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL INC [AMP]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	08/23/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
200 VESEY STREET, 50TH FLOOR (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10285				(Check all applicable) DirectorX 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)						
							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Be	Beneficially Owned			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		(111841. 4)			
		Title	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect
Exercisable Date Number of (I)
Shares (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

AMERICAN EXPRESS CO 200 VESEY STREET 50TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NYÂ 10285

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Signatures

s/ Stephen P. Norman, Secretary, American Express
Company

08/23/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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