#### **REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP**

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

HENRIQUES ADOLFO			Symbol				Issuer				
(Lost)	(First)		REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP [RF]				RF]	[] (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) P.O. BOX 387			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2004					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Group CEO			
MEMPHIS	(Street) S, TN 38147		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				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) 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, any (Month/Day/Yea	Code	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) o of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form: (Instr. 4) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	10/15/2004		A	5,000	A	\$0	80,473	D			
Common Stock							603	I	By 401(k)		
Common Stock							680	I	By ESOP		
Common Stock							338	I	By Spouse/Child(ren)		
Common Stock							675	I	By Trust		

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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 on Derivative Securities Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) ed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 33.82	10/15/2004		A	90,000		<u>(1)</u>	10/15/2011	Common Stock	90,000
Phantom Stock Units (UPC Deferred Comp.)	\$ 0 (2)						<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	27,872
Stock Option	\$ 31.29						10/14/2001	10/14/2008	Common Stock	13,350
Stock Option	\$ 26.17						07/01/2004	12/16/2009	Common Stock	45,000
Stock Option	\$ 22.92						12/20/2003	12/20/2010	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Option	\$ 33.32						03/17/2005	12/20/2010	Common Stock	17,721
Stock Option	\$ 25.59						07/01/2004	10/10/2011	Common Stock	112,500
Stock Option	\$ 24.81						07/01/2004	10/08/2012	Common Stock	125,000
Stock Option	\$ 33.48						07/01/2004	10/14/2013	Common Stock	93,750

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HENRIQUES ADOLFO P.O. BOX 387 MEMPHIS, TN 38147

**Group CEO** 

# **Signatures**

By: Ronald C. Jackson 10/18/2004

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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) The options will vest in two equal installments on October 15, 2006 and 2007.
- (2) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under the Union Planters Corp. Deferred Compensation Plan for Executives.

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