RAINWATER GARY L

Form 5

Common

Par Value

Stock, \$.01 02/11/2005

February 14, 2005

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See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported Form 4 Transactions Reported On the Investment Company Act of 1940 Transactions Reported											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAINWATER GARY L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMEREN CORP [AEE]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) ((Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)				(Check all applicable)					
			12/31/2					X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify			
P. O. BOX	66149		below) below) Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer						Officer		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6.	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
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ST. LOUIS	, MO 63166-6	5149					_	5 Form Filed by CForm Filed by MFrson			
(City)	(State)	State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and	Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common					Amount	(D)	Price	4)			
Stock, \$.01 Par Value	Â	Â		Â	Â	Â	Â	3,259 (1)	I	By 401(k)	
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	Â	Â		Â	Â	Â	Â	1,490 (2)	I	By ESOP	

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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 Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 31	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/11/2002	02/11/2010	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	8,150

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe			
RAINWATER GARY L							
P. O. BOX 66149	ÂΧ	Â	Chairman & Chief Exec. Officer	Â			
ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149							

Signatures

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. for Gary L.
Rainwater
02/14/2005

**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).
- $(1) \quad Includes \ a \ total \ of \ 242 \ shares \ acquired \ monthly \ from \ January \ through \ December \ 2004 \ at \ prices \ ranging \ from \ \$42.23 \ to \ \$50.11.$
- (2) Amount includes a total of 78 shares acquired during the first through fourth quarters of 2004 through reinvested dividends at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.
- (3) Grant of restricted stock.
- (4) Amount includes a total of 2,532 shares acquired during the first through fourth quarters of 2004 through reinvested dividends at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.

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