

POWERS ROBERT L
 Form 5
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POWERS ROBERT L

 (Last) (First) (Middle)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

 (Check all applicable)

P. O. BOX 66149

 (Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2004

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

ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

 (check applicable line)

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (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) | 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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Amount Price | | | |
| Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 300 | I Co-Trustee for Mother |
| Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 331 ⁽¹⁾ | I By 401K |
| | 02/11/2005 | Â | A | A | | 5,393 ⁽³⁾ | D Â |

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Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 1,773 \$ (2) 51.21

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. of D Se B O E Is FI (I |
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Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. for Robert L. Powers 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) Includes a total of 54 shares acquired monthly from January through December 2004 at prices ranging from \$42.23 to \$50.11.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock.
- (3) Amount includes a total of 189 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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