#### E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP

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## FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Last)

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CAPLAN MITCHELL H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

05/03/2007

E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP [ETFC]

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

(First) (Middle)

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

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O E\*TRADE FINANCIAL CORPORATION, 135 E. 57TH

(Street)

STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities

(Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A)

Indirect Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common \$ 9,851 05/03/2007 05/03/2007 F D 0 D Stock (1) 22,745 Common 7,983 05/03/2007 05/03/2007 F D 1,667,607 D (1) 22.745

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)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

CAPLAN MITCHELL H C/O E\*TRADE FINANCIAL CORPORATION X Chief Executive Officer

**135 E. 57TH STREET** NEW YORK, NY 10022

### **Signatures**

/s/ Russell S. 05/04/2007 Elmer

\*\*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).
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