### **AMEREN CORP**

Form 4

Common Stock, \$.01

Par Value Common Stock, \$.01

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#### **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading DAVIS JIMMY L Issuer Symbol AMEREN CORP [AEE] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_\_X\_ Other (specify P.O. BOX 66149 11/16/2004 below) below) Vice President of Subsidiary (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149 Person (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 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock, \$.01 I 1.817 By 401K Par Value

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### Par Value

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number or 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 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 39.25					04/28/2000	04/28/2008	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	7,275	
Stock Option	\$ 36.625					02/12/2001	02/12/2009	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	10,700	
Stock Option	\$ 31					02/11/2002	02/11/2010	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	14,100	
Stock Option	\$ 39.25	11/16/2004		M	4,850	04/28/2000	04/28/2008	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	4,850	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Transfer and the same and the s	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DAVIS JIMMY L P. O. BOX 66149 ST. LOUIS, MO 63166-6149				Vice President of Subsidiary		

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## **Signatures**

G. L. Waters, Asst. Secy. for Jimmy L. Davis

11/18/2004

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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