RICE JOHN D

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RICE JOHN D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO [ADM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 4666 FARIES	(First) (Middle) ES PARKWAY		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2004	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President		
(Street)			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		
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(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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	11/01/2004		M	3,983	A	\$ 9.0703	221,335	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2004		M	2	A	\$ 11.3	221,337	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2004		M	5,741	A	\$ 13.65	227,078	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2004		M	44,843	A	\$ 12.5333	271,921	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2004		F	35,466	D	\$ 19.075	236,455	D		

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Common Stock	19,570 (1)	I	By Employee Benefit Plan
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or ind	irectly.		

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of stiorDerivative Securities B) 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.0703	11/01/2004		M		3,983	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2010	Common Stock	3,983
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.3	11/01/2004		M		2	(3)	08/08/2012	Common Stock	2
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.65	11/01/2004		M		5,741	<u>(4)</u>	10/14/2013	Common Stock	5,741
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.5333	11/01/2004		M		44,843	<u>(5)</u>	08/02/2006	Common Stock	44,843

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RICE JOHN D 4666 FARIES PARKWAY DECATUR, IL 62526

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Stuart E. Funderburg, Attorney-in-Fact for John D. Rice

11/02/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Between August 19, 2004 and November 1, 2004, the reporting person acquired 88 shares of ADM Common Stock pursuant to an employee benefit plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated November 1, 2004.
- (2) The option was granted in three tranches (A, B and C). The option becomes exercisable in eight equal annual installments commencing on May 1, 2002; provided that the three tranches become exercisable sequentially beginning with Tranche A.
- (3) The option becomes exercisable in approximately 11.1% increments annually commencing on August 8, 2003.
- (4) The option becomes exerciseable in approximately 11.1% increments annually commencing on October 14, 2004.
- (5) The option becomes exercisable in 25% increments annually commencing on August 2, 2002.

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