

ROSENSTOCK RICHARD J  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROSENSTOCK RICHARD J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LADENBURG THALMANN  
FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [LTS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/13/2007

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O LADENBURG THALMANN & CO. INC., 153 EAST 53RD STREET, 49TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
			Code	V	Amount					
Common Stock	12/13/2007		P		3,151	A	\$ 1.91	227,640	D	
Common Stock	12/13/2007		P		1,849	A	\$ 1.92	229,489	D	
Common Stock								5,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC IRA for the benefit of Richard J. Rosenstock

Common Stock	5,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC IRA for the benefit of Roni L. Rosenstock
Common Stock	35,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC Rollover IRA for the benefit of Richard J. Rosenstock
Common Stock	3,701,346	I	Held by The Richard J. Rosenstock Revocable Living Trust Dated 3/5/96 <u>(1)</u>

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. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSENSTOCK RICHARD J  
C/O LADENBURG THALMANN & CO. INC., X  
153 EAST 53RD STREET, 49TH FLOOR  
NEW YORK, NY 10022

## Signatures

/s/ Richard J.  
Rosenstock 12/13/2007

  \*\*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) Mr. Rosenstock is the sole trustee and beneficiary of The Richard J. Rosenstock Revocable Living Trust.

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