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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Pers ROBERTS BRETT A	n * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION [CACC]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Midd	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below)		

25505 WEST TWELVE MILE ROAD

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

12/22/2004

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` ′	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	12/22/2004		M	36,069	A	\$ 6	104,069	D	
Common stock	12/22/2004		S	36,069	D	\$ 25	68,000	D	
Common stock	12/23/2004		M	2,433	A	\$ 6	70,433	D	
Common stock	12/23/2004		S	300	D	\$ 25.1266	70,133	D	
Common stock	12/23/2004		S	433	D	\$ 25	69,700	D	

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Common stock	12/23/2004	S	700	D	\$ 25.0826 69,000	D
Common	12/23/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 25.235 68,000	D

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		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 Options	\$6	12/22/2004		M	36	5,069	11/03/1998	11/03/2007	Common stock	36,069
Employee Stock Options	\$6	12/23/2004		M	2,	,433	11/03/1998	11/03/2007	Common stock	2,433

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROBERTS BRETT A 25505 WEST TWELVE MILE ROAD SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034	X		Chief Executive Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Brett A. Roberts	12/27/200		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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- * 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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