AMERITRADE HOLDING CORP Form DEFA14A August 12, 2005

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This filing consists of an e-mail sent to all Ameritrade associates on August 11, 2005 regarding the availability of an online comment form and the text from the online comment form.

#### Associates:

Eager to tell us what s on your mind regarding the proposed TD Waterhouse acquisition? Here s your chance. We re pleased to announce the creation of a dedicated Zoomerang comment form which will be your source for submitting questions and/or feedback as it relates to the acquisition and upcoming integration effort. Your feedback will be extremely valuable as we will be addressing topics of interest in upcoming integration updates and other communications.

All submissions will remain anonymous unless you opt to include your name in the comment field. If we determine that your question or concern requires immediate action, we will forward on to the appropriate department who will handle as necessary. We also plan on posting frequently asked questions and topics in the Ameritrade-TD Waterhouse U.S.A. Information Center on Athena, so you can see what your fellow associates are asking. Again, all submissions will remain anonymous.

Click on the link below to submit. This link will also be posted on the home page of Athena. Remember, nothing is off the table be open and candid when submitting your comments and questions.

http://www.zoomerang.com/survey.zgi?p=WEB224JWUG5HF5

**Corporate Communications** 

Ameritrade Confidential. Please remember that everything we disclose is proprietary to Ameritrade and must not be communicated outside of the company.

### Additional Information and Where to Find It

In connection with the proposed transaction, Ameritrade will be filing a proxy statement and relevant documents concerning the transaction with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). SECURITY HOLDERS OF AMERITRADE ARE URGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED WITH THE SEC WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION. Investors and security holders can obtain free copies of the proxy statement and other documents when they become available by contacting Investor Relations at <a href="https://www.amtd.com">www.amtd.com</a>, or by mail at Ameritrade Investor Relations, 4211 S. 102 Street, Omaha, NE 68127, or by Telephone: 800-237-8692. In addition, documents filed with the SEC by Ameritrade are available free of charge at the SEC s web site at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>.

Ameritrade Holding Corporation, The Toronto-Dominion Bank, and their respective directors and executive officers may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from the stockholders of Ameritrade in connection with the proposed transaction. Information regarding the special interests of these directors and executive officers in the proposed transaction will be included in the proxy statement of Ameritrade described above. Information regarding Ameritrade s directors and executive officers is also available in its proxy statement for its 2005 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on January 24, 2005. This document is available free of charge at the SEC s web site at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a> and from Investor Relations at Ameritrade as described above. Information regarding The Toronto-Dominion Bank s directors and executive officers is available in its Annual Report on Form 40-F for the year ended October 31, 2004, which was filed with the SEC on December 13, 2004, and in its notice of annual meeting and proxy circular for its 2005 annual meeting, which was filed with the SEC on February 17, 2005. These documents are available free of charge at the SEC s web site at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a> and by directing a request to The Toronto-Dominion Bank, c/o TD Bank Financial Group, 66 Wellington Street West, Toronto, ON M5K 1A2, Attention: Investor Relations (416) 308-9030.

TD Waterhouse Acquisition and Integration Comment Form

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Please submit any questions and/or feedback you have regarding the proposed acquisition of TD Waterhouse and integration in the field below. Your feedback will be extremely valuable as we will be directly addressing your questions/concerns in upcoming integration updates and other communications. All submissions will remain anonymous unless you opt to include your name in the comment field.

1 Submit your comments or questions here: