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FORM 4

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(State)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Thompson Robert K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RITE AID CORP [RAD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
RITE AID CORP, 30 HUNTER LANE			(Month/Day/Year) 06/24/2015	Director 10% Owner Selfow)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CAMP HILL	, PA 17011		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (A	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)	Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/24/2015		A	28,800	A	\$0	227,072	D	
Common Stock	06/25/2015		F(1)	12,936	D	\$ 8.6	214,136	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 An Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title [
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 8.68	06/24/2015		A	99,100	06/24/2016 <u>(2)</u>	06/24/2025	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Thompson Robert K RITE AID CORP 30 HUNTER LANE

EVP

CAMP HILL, PA 17011

Signatures

/s/ Robert K Thompson 06/26/2015

**Signature of Reporting

Explanation of Responses:

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

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares are being surrendered to satisfy tax withholding obligation with respect to shares on which restrictions are lapsing.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning one year from the date of grant.

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