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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. \*)

CITADEL HOLDING CORPORATION
-----(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK

(Title of Class of Securities)

172862104

(CUSIP Number)

CHRISTOPHER J. RUPRIGHT, ESQ., SHARTSIS, FRIESE & GINSBURG ONE MARITIME PLAZA, 18TH FLOOR, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111 (415) 421-6500

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

OCTOBER 20, 1994

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or (4), check the following box / /.

Check the following box if a fee is being paid with the statement /X/. (A fee is not required only if the reporting person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7.)

NOTE: Six copies of this statement, including all exhibits, should be filed with the Commission. See Rule 13d-1(a) for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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# ITEM 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER.

This statement relates to Common Stock (the "Stock") of Citadel Holding Corporation, a California corporation ("CHC"). The principal executive office of CHC is located at 600 North Brand Boulevard, Glendale, CA 91203.

# ITEM 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND.

The persons filing this statement and the persons enumerated in Instruction C of Schedule 13D and, where applicable, their respective places of organization, general partners, directors, executive officers and controlling persons, and the information regarding them, are as follows:

- (a) Lawndale Capital Management, Inc., a California corporation ("LCM"); Diamond A Partners, L.P., a California limited partnership ("DAP"); Diamond A Investors, L.P., a California limited partnership ("DAI"); and Andrew E. Shapiro ("Shapiro").
- (b) The business address of LCM, DAP, DAI and Shapiro is One Sansome Street, Suite 3900, San Francisco, California 94104.
- (c) LCM is the investment adviser to and a general partner of DAP and DAI, which are investment limited partnerships. Shapiro is a general partner of DAP and DAI and is the sole director and officer of LCM.
- (d) During the last five years, none of such persons has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).
- (e) During the last five years, none of such persons was a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction and as a result of such proceeding was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.
- (f) Shapiro is a citizen of the United States of America.

# ITEM 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION.

The source and amount of funds used in purchasing Stock were as follows:

SOURCE OF FUNDS

1 OKON/KOLK	COUNCE OF FORDS	71100111
LCM	Funds Under Management(1)	\$2,500,609.80
DAP	Working Capital	\$2,174,265.60
DAI	Working Capital	\$ 326,344.20
Shapiro	Personal Funds	\$ 1,812.00

(1) Includes funds of DAP and DAI invested in Stock.

#### PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION. ITEM 4.

The sole purpose of the acquisitions of the Stock reported herein was and is for investment. The Reporting Persons did not at the time of the purchase of the Stock, and do not presently, have any plan to acquire control of CHC. The Reporting Persons may acquire additional shares of Stock in the open market from time to time, but have no present intention to acquire shares representing more than 10% of the outstanding shares of CHC. The Reporting Persons have been in contact with management of CHC to request information about the strategy CHC plans to employ to maximize the value of the Stock. The Reporting Persons have also been in contact with other significant shareholders of CHC. At the present time, however, the Reporting Persons have no specific plans regarding these matters.

#### ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

The beneficial ownership of the Stock of the persons named in Item 2 of this statement is as follows at the date hereof:

	AGGRE	EGATE				
	BENEFICIAL	LY OWNED	VOTIN	G POWER	DISPOSI	TIVE POWER
NAME	NUMBER	PERCENT	SOLE	SHARED	SOLE	SHARED
LCM	419,900	6.3%	0	419,900	0	419,900
Shapiro	420,100	6.3%	200	419,900	200	419,900
DAP	365,300	5.5%	0	365,300	Θ	365,300
DAI	54,600	0.8%	Θ	54,600	0	54,600

The persons filing this statement effected the following transactions in the Stock on the dates indicated, and such transactions are the only transactions by the persons filing this statement in the Stock since August 21, 1994:

NAME	PURCHASE OR SALE	DATE	NUMBER OF SHARES	PRICE PER SHARE	BROKER USED
DAP	Р	8/31/94	1,000	4.313	PAWE
DAI	Р	9/07/94	1,100	3.500	PAWE
DAP	Р	9/07/94	8,900	3.500	PAWE
DAI	Р	9/30/94	2,000	3.984	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/07/94	2,000	3.969	BEAR
DAI	Р	10/12/94	300	3.938	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/12/94	1,400	3.938	BEAR
DAI	Р	10/14/94	7,200	4.000	PAWE
DAP	Р	10/14/94	47,800	4.000	PAWE
DAI	Р	10/20/94	6,500	3.625	PAWE
DAP	Р	10/20/94	43,500	3.625	PAWE
DAI	Р	10/21/94	800	3.625	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/21/94	5,400	3.625	BEAR
DAI	Р	10/24/94	1,400	3.625	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/24/94	9,000	3.625	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/25/94	1,500	3.625	BEAR
DAP	Р	10/27/94	22,500	3.914	BEAR
DAI	Р	10/27/94	3,500	3.914	BEAR

BEAR - Bear, Stearns Securities Corp. PAWE - PaineWebber Incorporated

ITEM. 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER.

LCM and Shapiro are the general partners of DAP and DAI pursuant to limited partnership agreements providing to LCM and Shapiro the authority, among other things, to invest the funds of DAP and DAI in Stock, to vote and dispose of Stock and to file this statement on behalf of DAP and DAI. Pursuant to such limited partnership agreements, the general partners of DAP and DAI are entitled to allocations based on assets under management and realized and unrealized gains.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS.

A. Agreement Regarding Joint Filing of Statement on Schedule 13D or 13G (including power of attorney).

# **SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge, we certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DATED: October 27, 1994.

DIAMOND A PARTNERS, L.P. DIAMOND A INVESTORS, L.P.

By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

Andrew E. Shapiro Andrew E. Shapiro

General Partner General Partner

LAWNDALE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

Andrew E. Shapiro Andrew E. Shapiro

President

EXHIBIT A

# AGREEMENT REGARDING JOINT FILING OF STATEMENT ON SCHEDULE 13D OR 13G

The undersigned agree to file jointly with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") any and all statements on Schedule 13D or Schedule 13G (and any amendments or supplements thereto) required under section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, in connection with purchases by the undersigned of Common Stock of Citadel Holding Corporation, a Delaware corporation. For that purpose, the undersigned hereby constitute and appoint Lawndale Capital Management, Inc., a California corporation, as their true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority for and on behalf of the undersigned to prepare or cause to be prepared, sign, file with the SEC and furnish to any other person all certificates, instruments, agreements and documents necessary to comply with section 13(d) and section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, in connection with said purchases, and to do and perform every act necessary and proper to be done incident to the exercise of the foregoing power, as fully as the undersigned might or could do if personally present.

DATED: October 27, 1994.

DIAMOND A PARTNERS, L.P.

DIAMOND A INVESTORS, L.P.

By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

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Andrew E. Shapiro General Partner By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

Andrew E. Shapiro General Partner

LAWNDALE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

Andrew E. Shapiro

President

/s/ Andrew E. Shapiro

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Andrew E. Shapiro