FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres CROTEAU J	1 0	rson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC</u> [TROW]	(Check	tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director	10% Owner
(Last) 100 E. PRATT S	(First) TREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2003		Officer (give title below) Vice President an	Other (specify below) d Treasurer
(Street) BALTIMORE (City)	MD (State)	21202 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	oorting Person

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)	Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	04/30/2003		A	v	131.537	A	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	64,995.852	D	
Common Stock	09/24/2003		М		3,000	A	\$25.7	67,995.852	D	
Common Stock	09/24/2003		М		1,500	A	\$27.34	69,495.852	D	
Common Stock	09/24/2003		F		3,341	D	\$42.9	66,154.852	D	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.7	09/24/2003		М			3,000 ⁽²⁾	09/21/2002	09/21/2011	Common Stock	3,000	\$0	2,100 ⁽²⁾	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$27.34	09/24/2003		М			1,500 ⁽³⁾	07/30/2003	07/30/2012	Common Stock	1,500	\$0	3,000 ⁽³⁾	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$42.9	09/24/2003		A		1,797 ⁽⁴⁾		09/24/2003	09/21/2011	Common Stock	1,797	\$0	1,797	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$42.9	09/24/2003		A		955 ⁽⁴⁾		09/24/2003	07/30/2012	Common Stock	955	\$0	955	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. ESPP - Shares acquired 04/30/2003 through 08/29/2003 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Shares ranged from \$30.5170 to \$42.1880 per share.

2. 09/21/2001 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on September 21, 2002.

3. 07/30/2002 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on July 30, 2003.

4. 09/24/2003 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.

JOSEPH P CROTEAU ** Signature of Reporting Person

09/25/2003 Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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