FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANG	ES IN BENE	EFICIAL (OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>VIETH CHARLES E</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]								(Check	tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		10%	Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 E. PRATT STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2003								X	belo	,	belo President	r (specify w)	
(Street) BALTIM (City)	ORE	MD (Stat		21202 Zip)		- 4. If	Amen	dment,	Date (of Origin	al File	ed (Month/Da	ay/Year)		6. Indiv Line) X	Forn	n filed by One n filed by Moi	o Filing (Check e Reporting Pe re than One Ro	rson
			Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	enefic	ially	Owne	ed		
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock				10/31/2	2003				A	v	97.977	A	\$	0(1)	374	4,295.56	D	
Common Stock 01/05/20				2004)04		S		10,000	D	\$48	48.282		4,295.56	D				
Common	Stock				01/06/2	2004				S		10,000	D	\$48	.3861	354	4,295.56	D	
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 Exercis Price of Derivative Security	on	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	med on Date, Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Expirat (Month	tion Da		7. Title Amoun Securit Under! Derivat Securit and 4)	t of ies /ing	Deri Seci (Inst		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. ESPP - Shares acquired on 10/31/2003, 11/28/2003 and 12/31/2003 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Shares purchased at \$40.2722, 42.1249 and 47.3889, respectively, per share.

CHARLES E VIETH

01/07/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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