FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BERNARD EDWARD C							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]								all applic	,	g Person(
(Last)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2005								X X	Officer (give title below) Vice Pr		10% Owner Other (spec below) resident			
(Street)	Street) BALTIMORE MD 21202				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)															Person				
		Tab	le I - N	lon-Der	ivativ	e Sec	curit	ies A	cquire	ed, D	isposed o	f, or B	enefici	ally	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y						Exec if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)		-	Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/30/200						5		A	V	22.581	A	\$72.42	'2.4236 ⁽¹⁾		224.406					
Common Stock				12/14/2005					M		3,300	A	\$30.7	\$30.75		524.406				
Common Stock				12/14/2005				M		2,800	A	\$35.7	75	274,3	,324.406					
Common Stock 12/14/2					2005	05					2,500	A	\$39	39 27		,824.406				
Common Stock 12/14/200					2005	15			F		4,000	D	\$74.7	4.73 2		72,824.406				
Common Stock															24,000		I		By Spouse	
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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)	Execut if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date,		ection Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		isable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. De Se	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Ov Fo Dii or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						v	V (A) (D)		Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of	Number						
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.75	12/14/2005			M			3,300	09/03/2000 ⁽²		09/03/2009	Common Stock	3,300		\$0	0		D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.75	12/14/2005			M			2,800	12/21/1	.999 ⁽³⁾	12/21/2008	Common Stock			\$0	0		D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$39	12/14/2005			M			2,500	11/20/2	1001 ⁽⁴⁾	11/20/2010	Common Stock	n 2,50	0	\$0	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. ESPP Shares purchased pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- 2. 09/03/1999 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 09/03/2000.
- $3.\ 12/21/1998\ Grant$ The option vests 20% annually over a $5\ year$ period beginning on 12/21/1999.
- 4. 11/20/2000 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 11/20/2001.

EDWARD C BERNARD

12/15/2005

** 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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