Registration No. 33-72568 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON D.C. POST EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 2 то FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. (AS SUCCESSOR TO T. ROWE PRICE ASSOCIATES, INC.) (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter) MARYLAND 52-2264646 (State or other jurisdiction of (IRS Employer Identification Number) incorporation or organization) -----100 East Pratt Street Baltimore, MD 21202 (Address of Principle Executive Offices) T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. 1993 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN (Full Title of the Plan) -----George A. Roche Chairman of the Board and President T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. 100 East Pratt Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202 (410) 345-2000 (Name and Address of Agent for Service) Copy to: R.W. Smith, Jr. Piper Marbury Rudnick & Wolfe LLP 6225 Smith Avenue Baltimore, MD 21209-3600 (410) 580-3000 (Telephone Number, Including Area Code of Agent for Service)

As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 27, 2001

EXPLANATORY NOTES

T. Rowe Price Group, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "Registrant"), is filing this Post-Effective Amendment to deregister certain securities originally registered pursuant to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed on December 3, 1993 (file no. 33-72568) with respect to shares of the Registrant's Common Stock, par value \$.20 per share (the "Common Stock"), thereby registered for offer or sale pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. 1993 Stock Incentive Plan (the "1993 Plan"). A total of 16,000,000 shares (split adjusted through the date of this filing) were registered for issuance under the Registrant's 1993 Plan.

The Registrant has since adopted a new stock incentive plan, the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. 2001 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2001 Plan") which replaces the 1993 Plan as of April 5, 2001, the date the shareholders approved the 2001 Plan. No future awards will be made under the 1993 Plan. According to the terms of the 2001 Plan, shares that were available for grant under the 1993 Plan when it terminated are available for grant under the 2001 Plan (the "Carried Forward Shares"). In addition, shares that are represented by outstanding awards granted under the 1993 Plan that are forfeited, expire or are canceled without the delivery of shares of Common Stock or that result in the forfeiture of shares of Common Stock back to the Registrant will be available for grant under the 2001 Plan and will be carried forward to the registration statement for the 2001 Plan prior to their offer and sale thereunder.

The total number of shares available for grant under the 1993 Plan on the date the Registrant's shareholders approved the 2001 Plan was 674,473 shares. In addition, awards with respect to 11,495,471 shares were outstanding under the 1993 Plan on that date.

Contemporaneously with the filing of this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (file no. 33-72568), the Registrant is filing a Registration Statement on Form S-8 to register shares of Common Stock for offer or sale pursuant to the 2001 Plan, including but not limited to the Carried Forward Shares.

In accordance with the principles set forth in Interpretation 89 under Section G of the Manual of Publicly Available Telephone Interpretations of the Division of Corporation Finance of the Securities and Exchange Commission (July 1997) and Instruction E to the General Instructions to Form S-8, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 is hereby filed (i) to reallocate the Carried Forward Shares from the 1993 Plan to the 2001 Plan, and (ii) to carry over the registration fees paid for the Carried Forward Shares from the Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed for the 1993 Plan to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 for the 2001 Plan that is filed contemporaneously with the filing of this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2.

This Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement shall become effective upon filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Rule 464 under the Securities Act of 1933.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Baltimore, State of Maryland, on this 27th day of April, 2001.

T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Barbara A. Van Horn Barbara A. Van Horn, as Attorney-in-Fact for George A. Roche Chairman of the Board and President

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities and on the date indicated.

Signature	Title 	Date
* George A. Roche	George A. Roche Chairman of the Board and President (Principal Executive Officer)	April 27, 2001
* Cristina Wasiak	Cristina Wasiak Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	April 27, 2001
* Joseph P. Croteau	Joseph P. Croteau Vice President and Treasurer (Principal Accounting Officer)	April 27, 2001
* By: /s/ Barbara A. Van Horn,	As Attorney-in-Fact	
Barbara A. Van Horn		

A majority of the Board of Directors:

Edward C. Bernard, Donald B. Hebb, Jr., Henry H. Hopkins, James A.C. Kennedy, John H. Laporte, Richard L. Menschel, William T. Reynolds, James S. Riepe, George A. Roche, Brian C. Rogers, M. David Testa, Martin G. Wade, Anne Marie Whittemore

As Attorney-in-Fact

April 27, 2001

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EXHIBIT		
NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	

24 Power of Attorney (filed herewith)

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T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned directors and officers of T. Rowe Price Group, Inc., a Maryland corporation, constitute and appoint George A. Roche, Joseph P. Croteau and Barbara A. Van Horn, or any one of them, the true and lawful agents and attorneys-in-fact of the undersigned with full power and authority in said agents and attorneys-in-fact, and in any one or more of them, to sign for the undersigned in their respective names as directors and officers of T. Rowe Price Group, Inc., its Registration Statement on Form S-8, and any amendment (including post-effective amendments) or supplement thereto, relating to the offer and sale of common stock of T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. pursuant to the 2001 Stock Incentive Plan and the 1986 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, and to sign for the undersigned in their respective names as directors and officers of T. Rowe Price Group, Inc., its Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to Form S-8 for the 1993 Stock Incentive Plan and its Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to Form S-8 for the 1996 Stock Incentive Plan relating to the deregistration of shares thereunder, to be filed with the Securities and $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Exchange}}$ Commission under the Securities Act of 1933. We hereby confirm all acts taken by such agents and attorneys-in-fact, or any one or more of them, as herein authorized.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ George A. Roche	Chairman of the Board and President (Principal Executive Officer)	April 20, 2001
George A. Roche		
/s/ Joseph P. Croteau	Vice President and Treasurer	April 20, 2001
Joseph P. Croteau	(Principal Accounting Officer)	
/s/ Edward C. Bernard	Director	April 20, 2001
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D. William J. Garrett		
/s/ Donald B. Hebb, Jr.	Director	April 20, 2001
Donald B. Hebb, Jr.		
/s/ Henry H. Hopkins	Director	April 20, 2001
Henry H. Hopkins		
/s/ James A.C. Kennedy	Director	April 20, 2001
James A.C. Kennedy		
/s/ John H. Laporte	Director	April 20, 2001
John H. Laporte		
/s/ Richard L. Menschel	Director	April 25, 2001
Richard L. Menschel		
/s/ William T. Reynolds	Director	April 20, 2001
William T. Reynolds		

/s/ James S. Riepe	Director	April 20, 2001
James S. Riepe		
/s/ Brian C. Rogers	Director	April 20, 2001
Brian C. Rogers		
/s/ M. David Testa	Director	April 20, 2001
M. David Testa		
/s/ Martin G. Wade	Director	April 25, 2001
Martin G. Wade		
/s/ Anne Marie Whittemore	Director	April 25, 2001
Anne Marie Whittemore		
/s/ Cristina Wasiak	Managing Director (Principal Financial Officer)	April 25, 2001
Cristina Wasiak	(Principal Financial Orricer)	