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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KENNEDY JAMES A C						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
KENNEDY JAMES A C														V Directo	•		10% Ov	vner	
(Last)	(F	First)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)] :	Officer below)	(give title	Other (spec below)		specify	
100 E. PRATT STREET							10/03/2005							Vice President					
(Street)			4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable							
BALTIMORE MD 21202														Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)					_									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ole I - No	n-Deri	ivativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. 4. Securiting Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquire Of (D) (Insi	d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 09/30/3							2005		A	V	51.228 A		\$0 ⁽¹⁾	1,358,123.695			D		
			Table II -								osed of, onvertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution D	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		ction	5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		able and			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	is Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$65.24	10/03/2005			A		50,000		10/03/2006	₃ (2)	10/03/2015	Common Stock	50,000	\$0	50,00	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. ESPP Shares acquired on 08/31/2005 and 09/30/2005 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Shares purchased at \$62.5879 and \$65.1600, respectively, per share.
- $2.\ 10/03/2005\ Grant\ -\ The\ option\ vests\ 20\%\ annually\ over\ a\ 5\ year\ period\ beginning\ on\ 10/03/2006.$

JAMES A. C KENNEDY

10/04/2005

Date

ds.

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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