Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GOFF MICHAEL A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [ TROW ]								heck all ap <sub>l</sub> Dire	licable) ctor	or		/ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 E. PRATT STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2003								X belo	r (give title Other (s ) Vice President		респу			
(Street)  BALTIMORE MD 21202  (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, [	Disp	osed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	:d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/L					ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dis		Disposed	ties Acquir d Of (D) (Ins		d Secur Benef	cially l Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Transa	eu ction(s) 3 and 4)	ion(s)				
Common Stock 10/31/					31/200	/2003			A	V	80.44	80.445 A		<sup>1)</sup> 36,	36,270.947		D		
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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. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			d 7. Title and An of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivativ Security		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Stock Options (Right to	\$43.45	12/11/2003			A		40,000		(2)	1	2/11/2013	Common Stock	40,000	\$0	40,00	00	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. ESPP Shares acquired on 10/31/2003 and 11/28/2003 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Shares purchased at \$40.2722 and \$42.1249 per share, respectively.
- $2.\ 12/11/2003\ Grant\ -\ The\ option\ vests\ 20\%\ annually\ over\ a\ 5\ year\ period\ beginning\ on\ 12/11/2004.$

**MICHAEL A GOFF** 

12/12/2003

\*\* 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).
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