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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* OMELIA WAYNE D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]								5. Relationship of Reporting Per (Check all applicable) Director			10% (Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 E. PRATT STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004								X	Officer (give title below) Vice Presiden		below	(specify)	
(Street) BALTIM (City)		ID tate)	212((Zip))2	4. 1	f Amen	dment, I	Date	of Orig	inal F	iled (Month/D	ay/Year)		6. Indiv Line) X	Forn	n filed by One n filed by More	Filing (Check A Reporting Pers e than One Rep	son
			Table I	- Non-Deriv	/ative	Sec	urities	s Ac	quire	ed, D	isposed (of, or E	Benefic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day			Execution Date		<i>'</i>	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			15)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Ì	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			12/31/20	004				A	V	18.101	A	\$62.	15 ⁽¹⁾	156	,868.936	D	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. ESPP - Shares acquired pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

<u>WAYNE D O'MELIA</u> 01/18/2005

** 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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