#### PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC

Form 4

September 22, 2005

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

CROTEAU JOSEPH P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 E. PRATT STREET

(Street)

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

09/21/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify \_X\_\_ Officer (give title below)

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Vice President and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	Γransactionor Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/31/2005		A	V	15.658	A	62.5879 (1)	79,445.314	D	
Common Stock	09/21/2005		M		800	A	\$ 25.7	80,245.314	D	
Common Stock	09/21/2005		M		700	A	\$ 25.7	80,945.314	D	
Common Stock	09/21/2005		F		762	D	\$ 62.04	80,183.314	D	
Common Stock								58,875	I	By Spouse

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Nur Deriva Securi Acqui (A) or Dispos (D) (Instr. and 5)	ntive ties red sed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ame Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or No of Sh
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.7	09/21/2005		M			09/21/2002(2)	09/21/2011	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.7	09/21/2005		M		700	09/21/2002(2)	09/21/2011	Common Stock	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 62.04	09/21/2005		A	289		09/21/2005(3)	09/21/2011	Common Stock	

# **Reporting Owners**

JOSEPH PAUL

\*\*Signature of Reporting

Person

**CROTEAU** 

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>Fg</b> •	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CROTEAU JOSEPH P			Vice				
100 E. PRATT STREET			President and				
BALTIMORE, MD 21202			Treasurer				
Signatures							

09/22/2005

Date

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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (2) 09/21/2001 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 09/21/2002.
- (1) ESPP Shares acquired pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) 09/21/2005 Replinishment Grant option vests 100% immediately.

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