

Stromberg William J  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Stromberg William J (Last) (First) (Middle)  100 E. PRATT STREET (Street)  BALTIMORE,Â MDÂ 21202 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2006	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC [TROW]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice President	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	341,915.597	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title      Amount or Number of			

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(1)</u>	09/21/2011	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 25.7	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(2)</u>	07/30/2012	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 27.34	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(3)</u>	11/18/2006	Common Stock	6,374	\$ 36.71	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(4)</u>	11/18/2006	Common Stock	9,388	\$ 38.3438	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(5)</u>	09/21/2011	Common Stock	9,189	\$ 41.95	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(6)</u>	09/21/2011	Common Stock	8,900	\$ 42.9	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(7)</u>	12/11/2013	Common Stock	60,000	\$ 43.45	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(8)</u>	07/30/2012	Common Stock	8,474	\$ 48.39	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(9)</u>	11/18/2007	Common Stock	29,248	\$ 55.78	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(10)</u>	12/21/2008	Common Stock	36,316	\$ 61.23	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(11)</u>	09/03/2009	Common Stock	16,279	\$ 61.39	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(12)</u>	12/20/2014	Common Stock	55,000	\$ 61.55	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(13)</u>	09/03/2009	Common Stock	19,252	\$ 62.61	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(14)</u>	10/03/2015	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 65.24	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(15)</u>	11/20/2010	Common Stock	39,075	\$ 72.36	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(16)</u>	07/30/2012	Common Stock	11,237	\$ 72.99	D	Â
Stock Options (Right to buy)	Â <u>(16)</u>	09/21/2011	Common Stock	10,563	\$ 72.99	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Stromberg William J  
100 E. PRATT STREET      Â      Â      Â Vice President      Â  
BALTIMORE, Â MDÂ 21202

## Signatures

WILLIAM J      02/10/2006  
STROMBERG

     \*\*Signature of Reporting      Date  
Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- (11) 02/28/2005 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (7) 12/11/2003 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 12/11/2004.
- (1) 09/21/2001 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 09/21/2002.
- (14) 10/03/2005 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 10/03/2006.
- (10) 06/17/2005 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (8) 01/02/2004 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (12) 12/20/2004 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 12/20/2005.
- (6) 09/24/2003 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (5) 08/12/2003 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (4) 03/16/1999 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (15) 11/23/2005 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (2) 07/30/2002 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on July 30, 2003.
- (9) 03/05/2004 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (16) 01/03/2006 Replishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (13) 03/01/2005 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.
- (3) 05/30/2003 Replenishment Grant - option vest 100% immediately.

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