### CROTEAU JOSEPH P

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Form 4

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## FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CROTEAU JOSEPH P			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)		
(Last) 100 E. PRATT	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2006	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice President and Treasurer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
BALTIMORE	, MD 21202			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	tion Date 2A. Deemed ay/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Transaction(A) or Dispo Code (Instr. 3, 4 ar (Instr. 8)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	11/30/2006		A V	73.141	A	\$ 0 (1)	150,614.253	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2006		M	3,000	A	\$ 12.85	153,614.253	D	
Common Stock							117,750	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	nof Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.85	12/07/2006		M	3,000	<u>(2)</u>	09/21/2011	Common Stock	3,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CROTEAU JOSEPH P			Vice				
100 E. PRATT STREET			President and				
BALTIMORE, MD 21202			Treasurer				

# **Signatures**

JOSEPH PAUL
CROTEAU

\*\*Signature of Reporting

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting
Person

## **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 on 09/29/2006, 10/12/2006, 10/31/2006, and 11/30/2006 pursuant to the T. Rowe Pric Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Shares purchased at \$47.6037, \$47.5978, \$47.3508, and \$43.4317 per share, respectively.

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