

PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WARREN DAVID J L

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) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/23/2008

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Vice President

T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC., P.O. BOX 89000

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BALTIMORE, MD 21289-0320

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	08/29/2008		A	V	455.024	A	\$ 58.8411	521,636.269	D
							(1)		
Common Stock	09/23/2008		M		196,700	A	\$ 12.85	718,336.269	D
Common Stock	09/23/2008		S		60,030	D	\$ 56.1626	658,306.269	D
							(2)		
Common Stock	09/23/2008		S		136,170	D	\$ 56.8	522,136.269	D
							(3)		

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Common Stock 09/23/2008 S 500 D \$ 57.546
(4) 521,636.269 D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.85	09/23/2008		M	196,700	09/21/2002 ⁽⁵⁾	09/21/2011	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WARREN DAVID J L T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. P.O. BOX 89000 BALTIMORE, MD 21289-0320			Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ David J. L. 09/25/2008
Warren

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
Shares acquired on 09/28/07, 10/05/07, 10/31/07, 11/30/07, 12/31/07, 01/11/08, 01/31/08, 02/29/08, 03/28/08, 03/31/08, 04/30/08,
(1) 05/30/08, 06/27/08, 06/30/08, 07/31/08 and 08/29/08 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan at the noted weighted-average price.
- (2) The range of prices is from \$55.50 to \$56.49. Will provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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- (3) The range of prices is from \$56.50 to \$57.48. Will provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) The range of prices is from \$57.50 to \$57.68. Will provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (5) 09/21/2001 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 09/21/2002.

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