

CROTEAU JOSEPH P
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**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 *
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) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/31/2008

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

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		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	10/31/2008		A	V	52.439	A	\$ 46.1265 (1)	152,752.077	D	
Common Stock	12/19/2008		G	V	500	A	\$ 0	118,250	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	12/19/2008		G	V	500	D	\$ 0	152,252.077	D	
Common Stock	12/19/2008		G	V	200	D	\$ 0	152,052.077	D	
	12/19/2008		G	V	200	A	\$ 0	500	I	

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Common Stock									By Daughter
Common Stock	12/19/2008		G V 200	A	\$ 0	500		I	By Son
Common Stock	12/19/2008		G V 200	D	\$ 0	151,852.077		D	
Common Stock	12/22/2008		G V 250	D	\$ 0	118,000		I	By Spouse
Common Stock	12/22/2008		G V 250	A	\$ 0	750		I	By Son
Common Stock	12/22/2008		G V 250	A	\$ 0	750		I	By Daughter
Common Stock	12/22/2008		G V 250	D	\$ 0	117,750		I	By Spouse

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CROTEAU JOSEPH P T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. P.O. BOX 89000			Vice President and Treasurer	

BALTIMORE, MD 21289-0320

Signatures

/s/ Joseph P.

12/23/2008

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__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).
- (1) Shares acquired on 09/29/08, 09/30/08, and 10/31/08 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan at the noted weighted-average price.

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