

KENNEDY JAMES A C
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FORM 4

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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 *
 KENNEDY JAMES A C

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)
 T. ROWE PRICE GROUP,
 INC., P.O. BOX 89000
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/18/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CEO & President

BALTIMORE, MD 21289-0320

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 01/31/2010 | | A | V 352.898 A | \$ 53.5056 1,238,248.379 | D | |
| | | | | | (1) | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,196,721 | I | 2008 Kennedy Grantor Retained Annuity Trust III (3) |
| | | | | | 101,576 | I | |

Common
Stock

James
A.C.
Kennedy
LLC

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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) | | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 49.6 | 02/18/2010 | | A | 50,000 | 11/01/2011 ⁽²⁾ | 02/18/2020 | | | Common Stock | 50,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KENNEDY JAMES A C T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. P.O. BOX 89000 BALTIMORE, MD 21289-0320 | X | | CEO & President | |

Signatures

/s/ James A.C.
Kennedy
Date: 02/22/2010

**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).
- (1) Shares acquired on 12/29/09, 12/30/09 and 01/31/2010 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan at the noted weighted-average price.
- (2) 02/18/2010 Grant - The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 11/01/2011.
- (3) These shares were previously reported as directly owned, but were transferred to the 2008 Kennedy Grantor Retained Annuity Trust III, on 11/21/2008.

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