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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Oestreicher David

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

PRICE T ROWE GROUP INC

[TROW]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below) below)

100 E. PRATT STREET

07/25/2017

Corp Secretary and VP 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BALTIMORE, MD 21202

(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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or ionDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	07/25/2017		M		1,803	A	\$ 54.8329	69,284.5579	D		
Common Stock	07/25/2017		A V	V	196.135	A	\$ 71.1814 <u>(1)</u>	69,480.6929	D		
Common Stock	07/25/2017		M		784	A	\$ 43.3725	70,264.6929	D		
Common Stock	07/25/2017		M		2,081	A	\$ 47.6474	72,345.6929	D		
Common Stock	07/25/2017		M		8,000	A	\$ 45.7933	80,345.6929	D		

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Common Stock 07/25/2017

F 8,441

D \$83.83

71,904.6929 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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	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)	\$ 54.8329	07/25/2017		M		1,803	(2)	09/04/2018	Common Stock	1,803
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.3725	07/25/2017		M		784	(3)	09/10/2019	Common Stock	784
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.6474	07/25/2017		M		2,081	<u>(4)</u>	02/18/2020	Common Stock	2,081
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.7933	07/25/2017		M		8,000	<u>(5)</u>	09/08/2020	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Corp Secretary and VP

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Oestreicher David 100 E. PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202

Signatures

/s/ Power of Attorney, Kenneth V. Moreland, Chief Financial Officer

07/27/2017

**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 pursuant to the T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan at the noted weighted-average price.
- (2) 09/04/2008 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 09/04/2009.
- (3) 09/10/2009 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 11/01/2010.
- (4) 02/18/2010 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 11/01/2011.
- (5) 09/08/2010 Grant The option vests 20% annually over a 5 year period beginning on 11/01/2011.

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