COSTAR GROUP INC

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FLORANCE ANDREW C	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	COSTAR GROUP INC [CSGP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
C/O COSTAR GROUP, INC., 1331 L STREET, NW	(Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2011	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specifically) Below) President and CEO		
(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		
WASHINGTON, DC 20005		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/17/2011		F	716	D	\$ 60.34	206,843 (1)	D	

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

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Code V (A) (D) Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FLORANCE ANDREW C C/O COSTAR GROUP, INC. 1331 L STREET, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Coleman, Attorney-in-Fact 04/19/2011

**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) Represents all shares of Common Stock owned, consisting of 167,708 shares of Common Stock and 39,135 shares of Common Stock subject to unvested Restricted Stock Grants.

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