

DSP GROUP INC /DE/
Form 4
August 25, 2016

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Levy Dror

(Last) (First) (Middle)

161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD,
SUITE 10

(Street)

LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
DSP GROUP INC /DE/ [DSPG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/23/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP and CFO

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

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)
Common Stock	08/23/2016		M	25,000	A \$ 6.16	149,060	D
Common Stock	08/23/2016		D	13,063 (1)	D \$ 11.79	135,997	D
Common Stock	08/23/2016		S	11,937	D \$ 11.7202 (2)	124,060 (3)	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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 6.16	08/23/2016		M	25,000	(4) 02/01/2019	Common Stock 12,500 (5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Levy Dror
161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD, SUITE 10
LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Dror Levy 08/25/2016

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- This represents the difference between the number of SARs exercised (25,000) and the number of shares issued as a result of the exercise (11,937). The number of shares to be issued under a SAR exercise is determined by multiplying the number of SARs being exercised by the difference between the FMV on the date immediately prior to the date the SAR is exercised (\$11.79) and the base price (\$6.16).
- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.70 to \$11.74, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to DSP Group, Inc., any security holder of DSP Group, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.
- (2) Represents 4,060 shares outstanding, 64,630 vested RSUs, and 55,370 unvested RSUs.
- (3) The Stock Appreciation Right vests 25% after 1 year and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
- (5) The Stock Appreciation Right grant is subject to a ceiling such that when the fair market value of the Company's common stock is equal to or great than two times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation right, the portion of the stock appreciation rights that is vested on such date is automatically exercised on the next trading day and the appreciation amount is paid by the issuance of the

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respective number of shares of the Company's common stock. Therefore, the number of underlying shares of common stock that may be received upon exercise cannot exceed 1/2 of the number of stock appreciation rights granted.

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