JMP Group Inc. Form 4 May 30, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(City)

(State)

(Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading PAUL PETER T Issuer Symbol JMP Group Inc. [JMP] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 600 MONTGOMERY ST, SUITE 05/20/2008 below) 1100 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acc	quired, Disposed (	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	• •	any	Code	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	(A) or	3)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/20/2008		M	6,000	A	\$ 0 (1)	12,000	D	
Common Stock							269,202	I	By Trust
Common Stock							34,895	I	By LP (3)

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number tion 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. Pr Deri Secu (Inst	
			Code V	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (4)	05/20/2008	M	6,000	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,000	\$	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
PAUL PETER T							
600 MONTGOMERY ST	X						
SUITE 1100	Λ						
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111							

## **Signatures**

Janet Tarkoff on behalf of Peter Paul

05/30/2008

\*\*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) Acquisition of common stock resulting from vesting and delivery of one-third of the restricted stock units granted on 5-10-07.
- (2) Held by the Peter T. Paul Living Trust.
- (3) Held by the 2006 Paul Partnership, LP, of which Mr. Paul is a limited partner. Mr. Paul disclsims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the limited partnership.
- (4) Each unit represents a right to receive one share of common stock or an amount equal to the fair market value of one share of common stock on the applicable vesting date.

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