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(Print or Type F	Responses)											
Mack Carter D Sym				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MP Group Inc. [JMP]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Da (Mor			3. Date of Ear	. Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year)				(Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Co-Pres. JMP Securities				
	(Street)		4. If Amendm Filed(Month/E		-			6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by C	One Reporting Pe	rson		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	- Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Executio any	on Date, if Tr Co Day/Year) (Ir		4. Securitie n(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a Amount	osed c	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)			
Common Stock	05/16/2007		J	(1)	986,810	A	\$ 0 (1)	986,810	Ι	By Trust		

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Option (right to buy)	\$ 10	05/16/2007		J <u>(3)</u>	118,400	<u>(4)</u>	12/20/2015	Common Stock	118,400

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
r of the term	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mack Carter D 600 MONTGOMERY STREET, SUITE 1100 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Х		Co-Pres. JMP Securities			
Signatures						
/s/ Janet Tarkoff on behalf of Carter D.						
Mack	05/18/	2007				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Da	ite				
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## 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) The shares of common stock were acquired in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) pursuant to a Reorganization and Exchange Agreement, dated May 16, 2007, whereby JMP Group Inc. became the successor to JMP Group LLC.
- (2) Held by the Mack Trust dated February 14, 2002.
- (3) Represents previously issued options of JMP Group LLC that were converted into options to purchase common stock of JMP Group Inc. in connection with the Reorganization and Exchange Agreement, dated May 16, 2007.
- (4) The options vest over four years with 1/4 of the shares of underlying common stock vesting on each anniversary of the grant date of 12/21/2005.
- (5) Mr. Mack also holds 50,000 Restricted Stock Units.

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