FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	nd Address of	f Reporting Person [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol J CREW GROUP INC [JCG]									(Che	elationship eck all appli C Directo	,		son(s) to Iss					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O J.CREW GROUP, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/12/2007									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify		
770 BROADWAY							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10003															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)																					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,					ties Fo cially (D Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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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. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		r) Amount Securitie Underlyi		nt of ties ying tive Security		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$49.41	06/12/2007			A		5,500		(1)	0	5/12/2014	Common Stock	5,	500	\$0	5,500		D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests in three equal installments on June 12, 2008, June 12, 2009 and June 12, 2010.

/s/ Arlene S. Hong pursuant to a power of attorney filed with 06/13/2007 the Commission

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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