ROTH MICHAEL ISOR

Form 4

February 15, 2005

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ROTH MICHAEL ISOR**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Other (specify

(Middle)

INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC. [IPG]

_X__ Director 10% Owner

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2005

X_ Officer (give title below) Chairman of the Board & CEO

THE INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC., 1114 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 19TH FLOOR

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

(1)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

D

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount 450,000

A

or (D) Price \$

13.645

(A)

A

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Transaction(s)

543,787

Common Stock

02/14/2005

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of corDerivative 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) (I		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.645	02/14/2005		A	450,000		(2)	02/14/2015	Common Stock	450,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Relationships

ROTH MICHAEL ISOR

THE INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES,

INC. X Chairman of the Board & CEO

1114 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 19TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10036

Signatures

/s/Michael I. Roth 02/15/2005

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) All shares are subject to forfeiture under certain circumstances.
- The option vests as follows: (i) 33% of the total number of shares underlying the option vests on February 14, 2007; (ii) 33% of the total number of shares underlying the option vests on February 14, 2008 and (iii) 34% of the total number of shares underlying the option vests on February 14, 2009.

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