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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

Elyakim Ofer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/02/2009

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

President of SEA Operations

DSP GROUP INC /DE/ [DSPG]

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O DSP GROUP, INC., 2580 NORTH FIRST STREET,

**SUITE 460** 

(Street)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN JOSE, CAÂ 95131

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5) Form:

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4 Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

Title

Amount or Number of Derivative Security

Price of

(Instr. 5) Security: Direct (D)

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	02/07/2013	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 27.36	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Right	(2)	01/24/2014	Common Stock	7,500 (4)	\$ 21.7	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Right	(3)	01/30/2015	Common Stock	37,500 <u>(5)</u>	\$ 10.23	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Elyakim Ofer C/O DSP GROUP, INC. 2580 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 460 SAN JOSE Â CA Â 95131	Â	Â	President of SEA Operations	Â	

## **Signatures**

/s/ Ofer Elyakim 02/04/2009

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 25% of the options vested on February 7, 2007. 6.25% of the remaining options vest at each quarter thereafter.
- (2) 25% of the stock appreciation rights vested on January 24, 2008. 6.25% of the remaining stock appreciation rights vest each quarter thereafter.
- (3) 25% of the stock appreciation rights vested on January 30, 2009. 6.25% of the remaining stock appreciation rights vest each quarter therafter.
  - Mr. Elyakim received a grant to purchase 15,000 stock appreciation rights. The grant is subject to a ceiling such that when the fair market value of the Company's common stock is equal to or greater than two times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation rights,
- (4) 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 respective number of shares of the Company's common stock. Thereforethe grant is exercisable for 7,500 shares of the Company's common stock.
  - Mr. Elyakim received a grant to purchase 75,000 stock appreciation rights. The grant is subject to a ceiling such that when the fair market value of the Company's common stock is equal to or greater than two times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation rights,
- (5) 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 respective number of shares of the Company's common stock. Therefore the grant is exercisable for 37,500 shares of the Company's common stock.

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