Elyakim Ofer Form 4 February 02, 2011

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Elyakim Ofer

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

DSP GROUP INC /DE/ [DSPG]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

Chief Executive Officer

C/O DSP GROUP, INC., 2580 NORTH FIRST STREET, SUITE 460

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

01/31/2011

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

below)

SAN JOSE, CA 95131

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Following

> Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date** Conversion

7. Title and Amoun

Underlying Securit

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Stock Appreciation	\$ 7.49	01/31/2011		A		105,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/31/2018	Common Stock	70,0

## **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, CA 95131

Chief Executive Officer

## **Signatures**

Right

/s/ Ofer Elyakim 02/02/2011

\*\*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) The Stock Appreciation Right vests 25% after 1 year and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
  - The Stock Appreciation Right grant is subject to a ceiling such that when the fair market value of the Company's common stock is equal to or great than three times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation right, the portion of the stock appreciation rights that is
- (2) 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 number of underlying shares of common stock that may be received upon exercise cannot exceed 2/3 of the number of stock appreciation rights granted.

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