DSP GROUP INC /DE/ Form 4

## FORM 4

May 18, 2015

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dahan David	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol DSP GROUP INC /DE/ [DSPG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD, SUITE 10	05/14/2015	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specification)  VP and COO			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
LOS ALTOS, CA 94022	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dir (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/14/2015		M	29,499	A		44,969	D	
Common Stcok	05/14/2015		D	16,255 (1)	D	\$ 11.18	28,714	D	
Common Stock	05/14/2015		S	13,244	D	\$ 11.2	15,470	D	
Common Stock	05/15/2015		M	8,366	A	\$ 6.16	23,836	D	
Common Stock	05/15/2015		D	4,602 (2)	D	\$ 11.2	19,234	D	

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Common Stock 05/15/2015 S 3,764 D \$11.1 15,470 D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	E (	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	E	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 6.16	05/14/2015		M	29,49	99	<u>(3)</u>	02/01/2019	Common Stock	14,74 (4)
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 6.16	05/15/2014		M	8,36	6	(3)	02/01/2019	Common Stock	4,181 (4)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dahan David

161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD, SUITE 10 VP and COO

LOS ALTOS, CA 94022

### **Signatures**

/s/ David Dahan 05/18/2015

\*\*Signature of Person Date

### **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) This represents the difference between the number of SARs exercised (29,499) and the number of shares issued as a result of the exercise (13,244). The number of shares to be issued under a SAR exercise is determined by multiplying the number of SARs being exercised by

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the difference between the FMV on the date immediately prior to the date the SAR is exercised (\$11.18) and the exercise price (\$6.16).

- This represents the difference between the number of SARs exercised (8,366) and the number of shares issued as a result of the exercise (2) (3,764). The number of shares to be issued under a SAR exercise is determined by multiplying the number of SARs being exercised by the difference between the FMV on the date immediately prior to the date the SAR is exercised (\$11.20) and the exercise price (\$6.16).
- (3) 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 greater than two times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation right, the portion of the stock appreciation rights that
- (4) 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 number of underlying shares of common stock that may be received upon exercise cannot exceed 1/2 of the number of stock appreciation rights granted.

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