SCAMINACE JOSEPH

Form 4

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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 AddreSCAMINACE	ess of Reporting Per JOSEPH	on * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OM GROUP INC [OMG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (Mide	le) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
1500 KEY TOWER, 127 PUBLIC SQUARE		(Month/Day/Year) IC 02/14/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
CLEVELAND	, OH 44114-122		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (2	Table Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/14/2012	<u>(1)</u>	A	37,600 (2)	A	<u>(1)</u>	229,144	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2012	<u>(1)</u>	A	19,200 (3)	A	<u>(1)</u>	248,344	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2012	<u>(1)</u>	A	2,177 (4)	A	<u>(1)</u>	250,521	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 on Derivative Securities (Month/Day Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 30.21	02/14/2012	<u>(1)</u>	A	55,000 (5)	02/14/2013	02/14/2022	Common Stock	55,000
Stock Option	\$ 30.21	02/14/2012	<u>(1)</u>	A	4,419 (4)	02/14/2013	02/14/2022	Common Stock	4,419

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SCAMINACE JOSEPH 1500 KEY TOWER 127 PUBLIC SQUARE CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1221	X		Chairman and CEO				

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Scaminace, by Cipriano S. Beredo, as attorney in fact 02/21/2012

**Signature of Reporting 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 field is not applicable.
- Subject to vesting based upon the safisfaction of performance criteria of OM Group, Inc. for the three-year period ending December 31, 2014
- (3) Subject to vesting on February 14, 2015.
- (4) Represents a payment earned based upon the achievement of corporate performance objectives related to a 2011 bonus. Subject to vesting on February 14, 2013.
- (5) These options vest in three equal installments on February 14, 2013, 2014, and 2015.

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