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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Jolson Joseph A | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|---------|----------|---|--|--|--|
| | | | JMP Group Inc. [JMP] | (Check all applicable) | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | |
| 600 MONTGOMERY STREET, SUITE 1100 | | | 12/31/2013 | Officer (give title Other (specify | | |
| | | | | below) below) | | |
| | | | | CEO | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) | | |
| | | | · | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | |
| SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting | | |
| | | | | Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non-l | Derivative S | Secur | ities Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Benefic | ially Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--------|------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit ton(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4) | sposed | 1 of 5) | 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 | | | | | | | 75,000 | I | By Foundation (1) |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,548,936 | I | By Jolson 1991 Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,280,687 | I | By Jolson 1996 Trust |
| Common Stock | 12/31/2013 | | M | 12,019 (4) | A | \$0 | 61,421 | D | |

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Common Stock 12/31/2013 F 5,273 D 56,148 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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Expiration D (Month/Day | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Amount of 8 Securities I 4) 5 |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|--|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$ 0 | 12/31/2013 | | M | 12,019 | (6) | <u>(6)</u> | Common Stock | 12,019 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| F | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Jolson Joseph A | | | | | | |
| 600 MONTGOMERY STREET, SUITE 1100 | | | CEO | | | |
| SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111 | | | | | | |

Signatures

Scott Solomon on behalf of Joseph A.

Jolson

01/09/2014

**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) Reflects shares of common stock held by The Jolson Family Foundation, of which Mr. Jolson is President and Treasurer. Mr. Jolson disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares.
- (2) Reflects shares of common stock held by the Joseph A. Jolson 1991 Trust, of which Mr. Jolson is the trustee.
- (3) Reflects shares of common stock held by the Joseph A. Jolson 1996 Trust dtd 3/7/96, of which Mr. Jolson is a trustee.
- (4) Acquisition of common stock resulting from the vesting of deferred restricted stock units on December 31, 2013.

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- (5) Reflects the vesting of 50% of the deferred restricted stock units granted on February 11, 2013.
- (6) Each unit represents a right to receive one share of common stock or an amount equal to the fair market value of one share of common stock on the applicable vesting date.
- (7) Disposition of common stock resulting from the withholding of securities for the payment of tax liability relating to the vesting of the deferred restricted stock units described above.

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