

Carroll Thomas  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Carroll Thomas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 OMNICOM GROUP INC [OMC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O OMNICOM GROUP INC., 427  
 MADISON AVENUE

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

12/29/2008

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

President & CEO TBWA Worldwide

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |     |       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|-----|-------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | 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 Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3)                                       | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>Number<br>Shares |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 25.48                           | 12/29/2008       | A          | 500,000   |      |   |     |     | (1)                 | 12/29/2018         | Common<br>Stock, par<br>value<br>\$0.15 per<br>share | 500,000                    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Carroll Thomas<br>C/O OMNICOM GROUP INC.<br>427 MADISON AVENUE<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 |               |           | President & CEO TBWA Worldwide |       |

## Signatures

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| /s/ Michael J. O'Brien, Attorney in Fact for Thomas Carroll<br>12/30/2008 | 12/30/2008          |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>                            | <small>Date</small> |

## 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).  
30% of the options are exercisable on December 29, 2009, the first anniversary of the grant date. 30% of the options are exercisable on (1) December 29, 2010, the second anniversary of the grant date. The remaining 40% of the options are exercisable on December 29, 2011, the third anniversary of the grant date.

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