DSP GROUP INC /DE/

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Levy Dror Issuer Symbol DSP GROUP INC /DE/ [DSPG] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner __Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD, 02/02/2015 below) SUITE 10 VP and CFO (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting LOS ALTOS, CA 94022 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 5 (A) or	of (D) 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	02/02/2015		Code V M	Amount 90,000	(D)	Price \$ 5.97	106,562	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2015		D	48,891 (1)	D	\$ 10.99	57,671	D	
Common Stock	02/02/2015		S	41,109	D	\$ 10.79 (2)	16,562 (3)	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)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	SA. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shar
Stock Appreciation	\$ 5.97	02/02/2009		M	90,000	<u>(4)</u>	02/02/2016	Common Stock	67,50 (5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Levy Dror

Right

161 S. SAN ANTONIO ROAD, SUITE 10 LOS ALTOS. CA 94022

VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Dror Levy 02/04/2015

**Signature of Person

Date

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- * 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).
- This represents the difference between the number of SARs exercised (90,000) and the number of shares issued as a result of the exercise (1) (41,109). 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 (\$10.99) and the exercise price (\$5.97).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$10.75 to \$10.80, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to DSP Group, Inc., any security holder of DSP Group, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.
- (3) This includes 1,563 Restricted Stock Units that vested on 1/29/2015.
- (4) The Stock Appreciation Right vests 25% after 1 year and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
- (5) 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 four times the base appreciation amount of the stock appreciation right, the portion of the stock appreciation rights that is vested on such date is automatically exercised on the next trading day and the appreciation amount is paid by the issuance of the

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respective number of shares of the Company's common stock.

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