FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*                      |   |  |   |        |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC. [ IPG ] |                   |   |  |                    |   |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |   |  |                                       |  |
| CAMERA NICHOLAS J   |   |  |   |        |  |  |                   |   |  |                    |   | Directo  Officer  | r<br>(give title  |   | (specify   |                                       |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)                                       |   |  |   |        | 3 [  | Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  |                   |   |  |                    |   | $\dashv$  | below)  |   | below  | ′ I                                   |  |
| 1114 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS                                   |   |  |   |        |  | 11/18/2004   |                   |   |  |                    |   |   | Senior VP, Gen Counsel & Sec.   |   |  |                                       |  |
| (Street)  |   |  |   | - 4. I | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |  |                   |   |  |                    |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |   |   |  |                                       |  |
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| (City)  | (S  | state)                                     | (Zip)   |        | _  |  |                   |   |  |                    |   |   | Persor  |   | man one rep  | July                                  |  |
|   |   | Tak  | le I - No   | n-Deri | vativ  | e Se   | curit             | ies Ac  | quired, D  | isposed            | of, or Be   | neficial  | ly Owned  |   |  |                                       |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date) |   |  |   |        | Execution Date,  |  | Code (Instr.   5) |   |  |                    |   |   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>D) or Indirect<br>I) (Instr. 4)         | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)   |  |                                       |  |
|   |   |  |   |        |  |  |                   | Code V  | Amount   | (A) o<br>(D)       | r<br>Price  | Transact<br>(Instr. 3 a                                     | ion(s)  |   | (11150.4)  |                                       |  |
|   |   | -  |   |        |  |  |                   |   | uired, Dis<br>s, options                                       |                    |   |   | Owned   |   |  |                                       |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)           | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Da<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/ | Date,  |  | ansaction<br>ode (Instr.   |                   | umber vative urities uired or oosed o) (Instr. and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)                     | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownersh<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|   |   |  |   |        | Code   | v  | (A)               | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                      |   |   |  |                                       |  |
| Non-<br>qualified<br>Stock                                    | \$10.6875   | 11/18/2004                                 |   |        | М  |  |                   | 16,200  | 01/01/1999   | 01/03/2004         | Common<br>Stock   | 16,200  | \$173,137.5   | 205,049   | D  |                                       |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Nicholas J. Camera

11/19/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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