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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br><u>Seaberg Karen</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>20073 266TH ROAD</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>ATCHISON KS 66002</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>MGP INGREDIENTS INC [ MGPI ]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) |
|   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>03/01/2023</u>              |   |
|   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                           | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person            |
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**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 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V | Amount  | (A) or (D) | Price                    |   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 03/01/2023                           |  | G                              |   | 71 <sup>(1)</sup>   | D          | \$0                      | 166,264   | I  | by trust  |
| Common Stock                    | 03/01/2023                           |  | G                              |   | 71 <sup>(1)</sup>   | A          | \$0                      | 400,391   | I  | By Seaberg MGP Holdings                               |
| Common Stock                    | 03/01/2023 <sup>(2)</sup>            |  | S                              |   | 1,008   | D          | \$99.1952 <sup>(3)</sup> | 165,256   | I  | by trust  |
| Common Stock                    | 03/01/2023 <sup>(2)</sup>            |  | S                              |   | 1,008   | D          | \$99.1952 <sup>(3)</sup> | 399,383   | I  | By Seaberg MGP Holdings                               |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |                          | 88,253  | I  | by IRA  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |                          | 55,850  | I  | by GST trust for LM                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |                          | 62,359  | I  | by GST trust for MH                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |                          | 2,905   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |            |                          | 2,290,447   | I  | by Cray MGP Holdings LP                               |

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |   | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V |  | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date |   |  |  |   |  |
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**Explanation of Responses:**

- On March 1, 2023, the reporting person transferred 71 shares of MGP common stock to Seaberg MGP Holdings LP, the general partner of which the reporting person serves as president and a board member.
- The transaction reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 4, 2022, as amended June 3, 2022.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$98.16 to \$101.415, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to MGP Ingredients, Inc., any security holder of MGP Ingredients, 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 3.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Allison Hardy, Attorney in Fact 03/02/2023  
for Karen Seaberg

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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