# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)												
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TRAUTSCHOLD MICHAEL J				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Vice President				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1300 MAIN STREET, P.O. BOX 130				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2006										
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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(City	<b>'</b> )	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	able I - No	n-Der	ivative S	Securities	Acqui	ired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially (	Owned	
(Instr. 3) D			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			Ownership o Form: B	Beneficial
				(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or t (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)		\ /	Ownership (Instr. 4)
		09/11/2006		F	8	8,190 D	D S	\$ 24.09	66,965		D			
				Derivative Securit		red, Di	isposed (	of, or Ben		-	OMB cont	trol numbe	r.	
Title of     Derivative	2	1												

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TRAUTSCHOLD MICHAEL J 1300 MAIN STREET P.O. BOX 130 ATCHISON, KS 66002			Vice President			

# **Signatures**

Michael J. Trautschold	09/13/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- \*\* 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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