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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] CAHILL BRIAN T			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			
(Last)	(First)		3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)					X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Vice President Vice President			
102 QUAIL PASS			06/30/2008								
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
ATCHISON, KS 66002							_X_Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu				ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)					of (D)	Issuer's Fiscal Year Form		nip 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Year)		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock								55,372	D		
Common Stock								2,532.3261 (1)	Ι	By ESPP	
Common Stock								32,706.096 ⁽²⁾	Ι	By ESOP	

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 (a.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
1. Title of					5.					8. Price of		10.	11. Nature	
	Conversion		Execution Date, if							Derivative		Ownership		
Security		(Month/Day/Year)			of			Securities Security			Derivative		Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)		Deriv			(I		(Instr. 3 and 4)			Derivative	•
	Derivative				Secur						Beneficially		(Instr. 4)	
	Security				Acqu							Direct (D)		
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					,					Amount				
										or				
								Expiration	Title	Number				
							Exercisable	Date	1110	of				
					(A)	(D)				Shares				
Stock	* • • • *						(2)	0.610.010.011	Common					
Options	\$ 4.65						<u>(3)</u>	06/08/2011	Stock	14,000		14,000	D	
Stock									Common					
Options	\$ 6.44						<u>(4)</u>	06/12/2012	Stock	14,000		14,000	D	
									STOCK					
Stock	\$ 3.62						<u>(5)</u>	12/02/2012	Common	10,000		10,000	D	
Options	÷ 0.02								Stock			,	-	

Reporting Owners

Bonosting Owner Name /	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CAHILL BRIAN T 102 QUAIL PASS ATCHISON, KS 66002			Vice President					

Signatures

Brian T. Cahill	08/12/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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).
- (1) Includes 216.6968 shares acquired between the period of 7/2/2007 and 6/30/2008 under ESPP in a transaction exempt under 16b-3(c).
- (2) Includes 1,988.096 shares acquired between the period of 7/2/2007 and 6/30/2008 under ESOP in a transaction exempt under 16b-3(c).
- (3) 3,500 shares were exercisable on 6/8/2002; 3,500 shares on 6/8/2003; 3,500 shares on 6/8/2004; and 3,500 shares on 6/8/2005.
- (4) 3,500 shares were exercisable on 6/12/2003; 3,500 shares on 6/12/2004; 3,500 shares on 6/12/2005; and 3,500 shares on 6/12/2006.
- (5) 2,500 shares were exercisable on 12/2/2003; 2,500 shares on 12/2/2004; 2,500 shares on 12/2/2005; and 2,500 shares on 12/2/2006.

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