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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
CLOUD L CRAY JR	MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI]					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director						
(Eirst) (First) 1300 MAIN STREET, P.O.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/19/2007											
(Street) ATCHISON, KS 66002	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					
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq			Acquir	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		f Code (Instr. 8)				f (D)	5. Amount of Securities D) Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Following (s)	Ownership of Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V Ar	nount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	or India (I)		or Indirect	irect (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/19/2007		Α	1,	425	A	(1)	2,007			D	
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D (O N (Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CLOUD L CRAY JR 1300 MAIN STREET P.O. BOX 130 ATCHISON, KS 66002	X					

Signatures

Cloud L. Cray, Jr.	10/23/2007
**Signature of Reporting 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).
- (1) This is a stock award, therefore, there is no reportable price.

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