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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] NEWKIRK TIMOTHY W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner		
(Last) 7108 RAWLIN	(First) S ROAD	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2010					X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO			
	(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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year	6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	· · ·	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock								83,495	D	
Common Stock								350	I	By Son A
Common Stock								500	Ι	By Son B
Common Stock								6,140.834 <u>(1)</u>	Ι	By ESOP
Common Stock								1,224.831 (2)	Ι	By ESPP

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, convortible securities)

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5.		6. Date Exer	cisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Numl	ber	and Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	of	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)		Unde	rlying	Security	Derivative	Form of	Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Deriv	ative	itive		Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Securities	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative				Secur	rities	ies		(Instr. 3 and			Beneficially	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				Acqu	ired			4)			Owned at	Direct (D)	
					(A) o	r						End of	or Indirect	
					Dispo	osed	d					Issuer's	(I)	
					of (D)						Fiscal Year	(Instr. 4)	
					(Instr	. 3,						(Instr. 4)		
					4, and	d 5)								
										Amount				
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of				
					(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

Departing Owner Name /	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NEWKIRK TIMOTHY W 7108 RAWLINS ROAD ATCHISON, KS 66002	Х		President and CEO				

Signatures

Timothy W. Newkirk	08/11/2010
**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 86.204 shares acquired between the period of 07/01/2009 and 06/30/2010 under ESOP in a transaction exempt under 16b-3(c).
- (2) Includes 708.2631 shares acquired between the period of 07/01/2009 and 06/30/2010 under ESPP in a transaction exempt under 16b-3(c).

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