## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Johnson Ellen Tobi</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERPUBLIC GROUP OF COMPANIES, INC. [ IPG ]									5. Relationship of Reporti (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title		10% (	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O IPG 909 THIRD AVE					02/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2016										below) below)  SVP of Finance & Treasurer			
(Street)  NEW YORK NY 10022  (City) (State) (Zip)					_   4. II	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
				on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or	Ben	efic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Date)					ction	ion 2A. Deemed Execution Da			3. Transa Code (1 8)	ction	4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a					5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	( <i>A</i>	A) or D)	Pric	e		ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock	02/29/2016					A		5,799(1)		A	\$21.555		42,127.48(2)		D			
Common	02/29/2016					A		9,278(3)		A	\$21.555		51,405.48(2)		D				
Common Stock					02/29/2016				A		13,729(4	1)	A	\$21.555		65,134.48 <sup>(2)</sup>		D	
Common Stock					02/29/2016				A		8,134(5)		A \$2		1.56	73,268.48(2)		D	
Common Stock 02					02/29/2016				F		3,351(6)		D	\$21.56		69,917.48 <sup>(2)</sup>		D	
Common Stock 02/29					0/2016				F		5,660 <sup>(6)</sup>		D	\$21.555		64,2	257.48 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
	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  (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)			med on Date,	4. Transa	nsaction de (Instr. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		_	Exerci on Da Day/Y	isable and te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		nstr. 3	8. Pi Deri Seci (Insi	rice of vative urity ir. 5)	9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Restricted shares that will vest on February 28, 2016.
- 2. Includes restricted shares that are subject to forfeiture under certain circumstances.
- 3. Restricted shares that will vest on February 28, 2018.
- 4. Performance based shares, awarded to Ms. Johnson on February 29, 2016 after achieving specific performance goals and vesting over the 2013-2016 period.
- 5. Performance based cash, paid in shares, awarded to Ms. Johnson after achieving specific performance goals and vesting over the 2013-2016 period.
- 6. This is not an open market sale, rather it represents a surrender of shares to the company to satisfy withholding tax obligations.

/s/Robert Dobson POA for 03/02/2016 Ellen Johnson

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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