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## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of

1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BYOM JOHN E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MGP INGREDIENTS INC [MGPI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (N	/liddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)					
				ny/Year)					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
	(Street)		4. If Amen Filed(Mont	· ·		riginal			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person	One Reporting Po	erson		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ionAo Di (II	Securit cquired isposed nstr. 3, 4	(A) o of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	06/01/2012			A	3,	,908	A	<u>(1)</u>	29,418	D			
Common Stock									32,808.66	I	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 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 9.09					04/16/2005	10/15/2014	Common Stock	2,000	
Stock Options	\$ 10.45					04/17/2006	10/14/2015	Common Stock	2,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer Othe				
BYOM JOHN E							
	X						

### **Signatures**

John E. Byom 06/05/2012

\*\*Signature of Person Date

\*\*Reporting Person

### **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) This is a stock award, therefore, there is no reportable price.

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