

PIWEK BRIAN
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PIWEK BRIAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC
TEA CO INC [GAP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2 PARAGON DRIVE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/04/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
PRES, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

MONTVALE, NJ 07645

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	08/04/2005		M	21,101	A \$ 4.6	21,101	D
Common Stock	08/04/2005		S	21,101	D \$ 26.57	0	D
Common Stock	08/05/2005		M	28,900	A \$ 6.47	28,900	D
Common Stock	08/05/2005		S	28,900	D \$ 25.5	0	D
Common Stock	08/08/2005		M	10,000	A \$ 6.47	10,000	D

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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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.6	08/04/2005		M	21,101	<u>(1)</u> 07/31/2006	Common Stock	21,101
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.47	08/05/2005		M	28,900	<u>(1)</u> 07/31/2006	Common Stock	28,900
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.47	08/08/2005		M	10,000	<u>(1)</u> 07/31/2006	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
PIWEK BRIAN 2 PARAGON DRIVE MONTVALE, NJ 07645	PRES, CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

Signatures

Joan Roensch, Attorney-in-Fact for Brian
Piwek

08/08/2005

__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) The Issuer immediately vested Mr. Piwek's outstanding, unvested options upon his July 31, 2005 resignation from the Company.

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