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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>WHITE CHRISTOPHER A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O COWEN GROUP, INC.</u> <u>599 LEXINGTON AVENUE</u> (Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10022</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COWEN GROUP, INC. [COWN]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>CFO and Treasurer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>11/02/2009</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	11/02/2009		A		115,533	A	\$0	115,533	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/02/2009		A		59,978	A	(2)	175,511	D	
Class A Common Stock	11/02/2009		A		200	A	(3)	200	I	By children

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$16	11/02/2009		A		19,276		11/02/2009	07/12/2013	Class A Common Stock	\$0	19,276	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- This is restricted stock that will vest with respect to 50% of the shares on each of the second and third anniversaries of the grant date.
- Received in exchange for 59,978 shares of common stock of Cowen Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a Cowen Group, Inc.) ("Cowen Holdings") in connection with the merger of Lexington Merger Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer (f/k/a LexingtonPark Parent Corp.), with and into Cowen Holdings (the "Merger").
- Received in exchange for 200 shares of common stock of Cowen Holdings in connection with the Merger.
- Received upon conversion of 19,276 stock options of Cowen Holdings in connection with the Merger.

/s/ Christopher A. White 11/02/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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