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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 ** GALGANO BRENDA			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			TEA CO INC [GAP]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify			
2 PARAGON DRIVE (Street)			(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2008	below)  SENIOR VP, CFO			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
MONTVALE	, NJ 07645			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	cution Date, if Transaction Code			quired of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/25/2008		A	21,069	A	\$ 0 (1)	36,555 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2008		S	7,301	D	\$ 27.19	29,254	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2008		A	8,428	A	\$ 0 (1)	37,682 (4) (5)	D	
Common Stock	02/25/2008		S	3,010	D	\$ 27.17	34,672	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GALGANO BRENDA 2 PARAGON DRIVE MONTVALE, NJ 07645

SENIOR VP, CFO

## **Signatures**

Joan Roensch, Attorney in Fact for Brenda Galgano

02/27/2008

\*\*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 award was a grant for which no consideration was paid.
- The acquisition represents the vesting of 1/3 of an original grant of 63,206 restricted stock units which can only be settled in stock. One **(2)** third lapsed in 2007 and the remaining third will vest on 3/1/09.
- 21,069 shares in the total amount represent RSUs granted to Ms. Galgano in March 2005 under the Company's 1998 Long Term Incentive **(3)** and Share Award Plan and and can only be settled in stock.
- The acquisition represents the vesting of 1/3 of an original grant of 25,283 restricted stock units which can only be settled in stock. One **(4)** third lapsed in 2007 and the remaining third will vest on 3/1/09.
- 8,428 shares in the total amount represent RSUs granted to Ms. Galgano in October 2005 under the Company's 1998 Long Term Incentive and Share Award Plan and can only be settled in stock.

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