### HARBINGER GROUP INC.

Form 4

value

\$0.01 per share)

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#### **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HARBINGER CAPITAL Issuer Symbol PARTNERS MASTER FUND I, HARBINGER GROUP INC. [HRG] (Check all applicable) LTD. (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director X\_\_ 10% Owner \_X\_ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O INTERNATIONAL FUND 09/06/2013 \*See Remarks SVS. (IRELAND) LT, 78 SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting DUBLIN 2, L2 00000 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Code (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 8) or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock (par 09/06/2013 S 1,000,000 78,319,523 value \$0.01 per share) Common Stock (par D (5) (6) (7)

15,746,730

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Common Stock (par value \$0.01 per share)

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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. cionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S	ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code \	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
reporting Owner Name / Namess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS MASTER FUND I, LTD. C/O INTERNATIONAL FUND SVS. (IRELAND) LT 78 SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY DUBLIN 2, L2 00000		X		*See Remarks	
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS LLC 450 PARK AVENUE, 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		*See Remarks	
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUND, L.P. 450 PARK AVENUE, 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		*See Remarks	
HARBINGER CAPITAL PARTNERS SPECIAL SITUATIONS GP, LLC		X		*See Remarks	

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450 PARK AVENUE, 1 NEW YORK, NY 1002			
		X	*See Remarks
HARBINGER CAPITA 450 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NY 1002	30TH FLOOR	X	*See Remarks
HARBINGER CAPITA 450 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NY 1002		X	*See Remarks
HARBINGER HOLDII 450 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NY 1002	30TH FLOOR	X	*See Remarks
FALCONE PHILIP 450 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NY 1002		X	*See Remarks
Signatures			
Harbinger Capital Part	ners Master Fund I, Ltd.(+) By: Harbinger Capi LC, Manager By: /s/ Philip Falcone	ital Partners LLC, By:	09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
Harbinger Capital Part Falcone	ners LLC(+) By: Harbinger Holdings, LLC, Ma	anager By: /s/ Philip	09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
• •	ners Special Situations Fund, L.P.(+) By: Harbi LLC By: Harbinger Holdings, LLC, Managing		09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
Harbinger Capital Part Managing Member By:	ners Special Situations GP, LLC(+) By: Harbin /s/ Philip Falcone	ger Holdings, LLC,	09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
* *	Breakaway Ltd. (+) By: Harbinger Capital Partn LLC, General Partner By: /s/ Philip Falcone	ers II LP By: Harbinger	09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
Harbinger Capital Part Partner By: /s/ Philip Fa	ners II LP (+) By: Harbinger Capital Partners II alcone	GP LLC, General	09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date
Harbinger Capital Part	ners II GP LLC (+) By: /s/ Philip Falcone		09/06/2013
	**Signature of Reporting Person		Date

Signatures 3

Harbinger Holdings, LLC(+) By: /s/ Philip Falcone

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Philip Falcone(+) 09/06/2013

\*\*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) Represents a sale by Harbinger Capital Partners Master Fund I, Ltd. ("the Master Fund") of 1,000,000 shares of common stock of the Issuer (the "Shares").
- (2) These Shares are owned directly by the Master Fund, which is a Reporting Person.
- These Shares may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, each of whom is a Reporting Person: Harbinger Capital Partners LLC ("Harbinger LLC"), the investment manager of the Master Fund; Harbinger Holdings, LLC ("Harbinger Holdings"), the manager of Harbinger LLC; and Philip Falcone, the managing member of Harbinger Holdings and the portfolio manager of the Master Fund.
- Each person listed in Footnote 3 disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such person is the beneficial owner of the Shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- (5) These Shares are owned directly by Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations, L.P. ("Special Situations Fund"), which is a Reporting Person.
- These Shares may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, each of whom is a Reporting Person: Harbinger Capital Partners Special Situations GP, LLC ("HCPSS"), the general partner of the Special Situations Fund; Harbinger Holdings, the managing member of HCPSS; and Philip Falcone, the managing member of Harbinger Holdings and the portfolio manager of the Special Situations Fund.
- Each Reporting Person listed in Footnote 6 disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the Shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- (8) These Shares are owned directly by the Breakaway Fund, which is a Reporting Person.
- These Shares may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, each of whom is a Reporting Person: Harbinger Capital Partners II LP ("HCP II"), the investment manager of the Breakaway Fund; Harbinger Capital Partners II GP LLC ("HCP GP II"), the general partner of HCP II; and Philip Falcone, the managing member of HCP II GP and the portfolio manager of the Breakaway Fund.
- Each person listed in Footnote 9 disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such person is the beneficial owner of the Shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

#### Remarks:

(+) The persons listed herein may be deemed to be members of a "group" for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.