

DIRK BRIAN  
Form SC 13D  
February 20, 2004

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

**SCHEDULE 13D**  
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. )\*

**TROY GROUP, INC.**

(Name of Issuer)

**Common Stock, par value \$.01**

(Title of Class of Securities)

**89733N 10 6**

(CUSIP Number)

**James Klingler**

**Troy Group, Inc.**

**2331 South Pullman Street**

**Santa Ana, CA 92705**

**Tel: 949-261-4624**

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person  
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

**With a copy to:**

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March 21, 2003

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 89733N 10 6

1. Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only)  
Brian P. Dirk
  2. Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)
    - (a)
    - (b)
  3. SEC Use Only
  4. Source of Funds (See Instructions)  
OO
  5. Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e)
  6. Citizenship or Place of Organization  
United States
- |   |     |                          |           |
|---|-----|--------------------------|-----------|
|   | 7.  | Sole Voting Power        | 1,453,115 |
| Number of<br>Shares<br>Beneficially<br>Owned by<br>Each<br>Reporting<br>Person With | 8.  | Shared Voting Power      | 187,143   |
|   | 9.  | Sole Dispositive Power   | 1,453,115 |
|   | 10. | Shared Dispositive Power | 187,143   |
11. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person  
1,640,258 shares (1)
  12. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions)
  13. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11)  
15.4%
  14. Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)  
IN

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(1) Includes 81,967 shares of Common Stock owned directly by Brian Dirk and 99,000 shares of Common Stock that would be beneficially owned upon exercise of stock options exercisable within 60 days of February 17, 2004. Includes 354,467 shares of Common Stock held by the Brian Dirk Trust whose trustee is Brian Dirk. Includes 917,681 shares of Common Stock held by the Patrick and Mary Dirk Grantor Trust whose trustee is Brian Dirk. Includes 187,143 shares of Common Stock held by the Dirk 1998 Alaska Trust whose trustee includes Brian Dirk. Brian Dirk disclaims beneficial ownership, except to the extent he has pecuniary interest, in the Dirk

1998 Alaska Trust shares.

**Item 1. Security and Issuer**

This Schedule 13D relates to the shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the Troy Group Common Stock) of Troy Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (Troy Group). The principal executive offices of Troy Group are located at 2331 South Pullman Street, Santa Ana, CA 92705.

**Item 2. Identity and Background**

- (a) This Schedule 13D is being filed by Brian P. Dirk.
- (b) The address of Brian P. Dirk is c/o Troy Group, Inc. 2331 South Pullman Street, Santa Ana, CA 92705.
- (c) Brian P. Dirk is presently the Vice Chairman, Corporate Secretary and Senior Vice President, Corporate Development of Troy Group, Inc. The principal business of Troy Group involves secure payment systems and wireless and connectivity solutions. The principal executive offices of Troy Group are located at 2331 South Pullman Street, Santa Ana, CA 92705.
- (d) During the last five years, Brian P. Dirk has not been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations and similar misdemeanors).
- (e) During the last five years, Brian P. Dirk has not been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction as a result of which such person was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.
- (f) Brian P. Dirk is a citizen of the United States.

**Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration**

On March 21, 2003, the Dirk Family Trust sold 825,913 shares of Common Stock to the Patrick and Mary Dirk Grantor Trust at \$1.50 per share for a total of \$1,238,869.50 paid for by a long-term note.

**Item 4. Purpose of Transaction**

Brian P. Dirk acquired the shares of Troy Group for investment purposes.

- (a) - (j) Not applicable.

**Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer**

- (a) Brian P. Dirk may be deemed the beneficial owner of approximately 15.4% of the issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock based on 10,649,092 outstanding shares of Common Stock reported by the Troy Group on Form 10-K filed on March 19, 2003.
- (b) Brian P. Dirk has sole power to vote or to direct the vote and sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 1,453,115 shares including 81,967 shares of Common Stock that he owns directly, 99,000 shares of Common Stock that would be beneficially owned upon exercise of stock options exercisable within 60 days of February 17, 2004, 354,467 shares of Common Stock held by the Brian Dirk Trust whose trustee is Brian Dirk and 917,681 shares of Common Stock held by the Patrick and Mary Dirk Grantor Trust whose trustee is Brian Dirk. Brian P. Dirk has shared power to vote or to direct the vote and shared power to dispose of or direct the disposition of 187,143 shares of Common Stock held by the Dirk 1998 Alaska Trust whose trustee includes Brian Dirk. Brian Dirk disclaims beneficial ownership, except to the extent he has pecuniary interest, in the Dirk 1998 Alaska Trust shares.
- (c) Except as set forth in this Schedule 13D, Brian P. Dirk has not effected any other transaction in the shares of Troy Group that was effected in the past 60 days.
- (d) Not applicable.
- (e) Not applicable.

**Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer**

None.

**Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits**

None.

## Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 19, 2004.

Date

/s/ Brian P. Dirk

Signature

Brian P. Dirk/Vice Chairman of the Board and Vice President

Name/Title