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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO INC [GAP] À Emil Capital Partners, LLC (Month/Day/Year) 08/14/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2 PARAGON DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X__ 10% Owner Director Form filed by One Reporting Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) MONTVALE, NJÂ 07645 X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock, \$1 par value $\frac{(1)}{}$ 77,300 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	· ·		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Emil Capital Partners, LLC 2 PARAGON DRIVE MONTVALE, NJ 07645	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
TENGELMANN WARENHANDELSGESELLSCHAFT KG WISSOLLSTRASSE 5-43 45478 MULHEIM AN DER RUHR, 2MÂ	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
TENGELMANN VERWALTUNGS UND BETEILIGUNGS GMBH WISSOLLSTRASSE 5-43 45478 MULHEIM AN DER RUHR, 2MÂ	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
HAUB KARL ERIVAN WARDER WISSOLLSTRASSE 5-43 45478 MULHEIM AN DER RUHR, 2MÂ	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
HAUB CHRISTIAN W E 2 PARAGON DRIVE MONTVALE, NJ 07645	ÂX	ÂX	Â	Â			
HAUB ERIVAN KARL WISSOLLSTRASSE 5-43 45478 MULHEIM AN DER RUHR, 2MÂ	Â	ÂX	Â	Â			
Signatures							
Karl-Erivan Warder Haub by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)					08/19/2008		
**Signature of Reporting Person							
Emil Capital Partners, LLC, by Dr. Andreas Guldin, CEO, by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)							
**Signature of Reporting Person							
Christian Wilhelm Erich Haub by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)							
**Signature of Reporting Person					Date		
Tengelmann Warenhandelsgesellschaft KG, by Tengelmann Verwaltungs- und Beteiligungs GmbH, as Managing Partner, by Christian Wilhelm Erich Haub, Co-CEO, by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)							
**Signature of Reporting Person					Date		
Erivan Karl Haub by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)							
**Signature of Reporting Person							
Tengelmann Verwaltungs- und Beteiligungs GmbH, by Christian Wilhelm Erich Haub, Co-CEO, by John D. Barline (Attorney-in-Fact)							

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**Signature of Reporting Person

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - Emil Capital Partners, LLC is a Limited Liability Company, organized under the laws of Delaware. Tengelmann Warenhandelsgesellschaft KG holds 100 percent of the outstanding membership interests of Emil Capital Partners, LLC. Each Reporting
- (1) Person other than Emil Capital Partners, LLC, expressly declares that the filing of this statement is not an admission that they are, for the purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the beneficial owner of shares owned by Emil Capital Partners, LLC.

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Remarks:

EXHIBIT LIST - Exhibit 24 (CE) - Power of Attorney from Dr. Andreas Guldin authorizing signat

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Date