COWEN GROUP, INC.

Form 4

August 09, 2013

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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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 Littman Owen S Issuer Symbol COWEN GROUP, INC. [COWN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify COWEN GROUP, INC., 599 08/07/2013 below) LEXINGTON AVENUE General Counsel (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10022 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqı	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	08/07/2013		A	150,000	A	<u>(1)</u>	525,732	D	
Class A Common Stock	08/07/2013		F	18,485 (2)	D	\$ 3.6	507,247	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)

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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Littman Owen S COWEN GROUP, INC. 599 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022

General Counsel

### **Signatures**

/s/ Owen S. 08/09/2013 Littman

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **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).
- Grant of restricted stock units ("RSUs") for no monetary consideration. 50,000 RSUs vested upon the grant date. 50,000 RSUs will vest on May 15, 2014 and 50,000 RSUs will vest on April 29, 2015.
- Represents shares of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations upon the immediate vesting of **(2)** restricted stock units.

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