

CME GROUP INC.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**CRONIN KATHLEEN M**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**20 S. WACKER DRIVE**  
  
(Street)

**CHICAGO, IL 60606**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CME GROUP INC. [CME]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**06/12/2015**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Sr MD Gen Counsel & Corp Sec**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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
Common Stock Class A	06/12/2015		M		6,500	A		\$ 50.39
Common Stock Class A	06/12/2015		S		<u>6,500</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D		<u>98.4379</u> <sup>(2)</sup>
								24,185
								17,685

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50.39	06/12/2015		M	6,500	06/15/2010 <sup>(3)</sup> 06/15/2015	Common Stock Class A

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CRONIN KATHLEEN M 20 S. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606			Sr MD Gen Counsel & Corp Sec	

## Signatures

By: Margaret Austin Wright For: Kathleen M. Cronin  
Date: 06/15/2015

\_\_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) This sale was completed pursuant to the terms of a pre-arranged trading plan established in accordance with Rule 10b5-1.

On June 12, 2015, Ms. Cronin sold a total of 6,500 shares of CME Group Class A common stock at an average price of \$98.44 per share, including the exercise of options. The price ranges were \$98.01 through \$99.00. The Company maintains a record of the transactions and copies will be provided upon request.

(3) As of 6/15/2010, this option vested with respect to 100% of the granted number of shares covered by the option.

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