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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad GOLDMAN	•	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			INPHONIC INC [INPC]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
			(Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX 10% Owner				
85 BROAD S	ST		08/13/2007	Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
NEW YORK, NY 10004			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Dominatine Committee Ass					
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(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of 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)
Common Stock	08/13/2007		Code V S	Amount 300	(D)	Price \$ 3.13	5,110,181	I	See footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	08/14/2007		P	300	A	\$ 2.77	5,110,181	I	See footnotes (1) (2)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5))	Date	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number o Shares
Warrants to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.01	08/13/2007		P	488,889	(3)	08/12/2012	Common Stock	488,889
Warrants to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 0.01					(3)	11/07/2011	Common Stock	687,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/ 85 BROAD ST NEW YORK, NY 10004		X				
GOLDMAN SACHS & CO 85 BROAD STREET NEW YORK, NY 10004		X				

Signatures

/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	08/15/2007		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	08/15/2007		
**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).
- This statement is being filed by The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GS Group") and Goldman, Sachs & Co. ("Goldman Sachs" and, together with GS Group, the "Reporting Persons"). Goldman Sachs is a wholly-owned subsidiary of GS Group.

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- The shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock") of InPhonic, Inc. (the "Company") reported herein as indirectly purchased and sold were beneficially owned directly by Goldman Sachs. Without admitting any legal obligation, Goldman Sachs will remit appropriate profits, if any, to the Company. The 5,110,181 shares of Common Stock reported herein may be deemed to be beneficially owned indirectly by GS Group by reason of the direct ownership of such securities by Goldman Sachs or another wholly-owned subsidiary of GS Group (collectively, "Goldman"). Goldman has open short positions of 390,119 shares of Common Stock.
- (3) Immediately exercisable
 - On November 7, 2006, the Company entered into a credit agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with Goldman Sachs Credit Partners, L.P., an affiliate of the Reporting Persons, certain other lenders from time to time party thereto, and Citicorp North America. Inc., as administrative agent. On August 8, 2007, the Company entered into an amendment to the Credit Agreement
- America, Inc., as administrative agent. On August 8, 2007, the Company entered into an amendment to the Credit Agreement, pursuant to which, on August 13, 2007, the Company issued to Goldman Sachs warrants to purchase 488,889 shares of Common Stock subject to adjustment upon the occurrence of certain events set forth in the warrant agreement, dated as of November 7, 2006, as amended, by and among the Company, Goldman Sachs and other parties thereto.
- GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly warrants to purchase an aggregate of 1,176,389 shares of Common Stock by reason of the direct ownership of such securities by Goldman Sachs.

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