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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION								OMB A	OMB APPROVAL		
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(Print or Type R	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> FRIEDMAN MARK L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RODMAN & RENSHAW CAPITAL GROUP, INC. [RODM]				-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			_X_ Director 10% Owner					
1251 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS			(Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2011					Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(CheckApplicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
NEW YORK	K, NY 10020							Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. D (Month/Day/Year) Execu any (Mont			3.4. Securities AcquiredTransaction(A) or Disposed ofCode(D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/06/2011			А	10,000	А	<u>(1)</u>	49,768 <u>(2)</u>	D		
Common Stock								94,437	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)

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. onNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	Date	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option	\$ 5					(3)	10/14/2017	Common Stock	10,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FRIEDMAN MARK 1251 AVENUE OF 7 NEW YORK, NY 10	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Mark L. Friedman	05/06/2011						
<u>**</u> 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) Not applicable.

All of these shares are restricted shares underlying Restricted Stock Units granted to the Reporting Person in accordance with Rule
 (2) 16b-3(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Such shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person in accordance with the terms of an award agreement between the Issuer and the Reporting Person.

(3) Exercisable to acquire one-third of the underlying shares on the first anniversary of the grant date and to acquire an additional one-third of the underlying shares on each of the second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

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