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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Altschul David			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Digital Music Group, Inc. [DMGI]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	02/02/2006	4. Relationship Person(s) to Is			5. If Ameno Filed(Month	dment, Date Original n/Day/Year)
17160 MCLORMICK ST. (Street) ENCINO, CA 91316				(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivati	ve Securitio	es Bei		
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Director Stock Option	â (1)	02/00/2016	Common	24,000	\$ 9.75	D	â
(Right to Buy)	$A (\underline{n})$	02/09/2016	Stock	24,000	\$ 9.75	D	A

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Altschul David 17160 MCLORMICK ST. ENCINO, CA 91316	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
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Signatures

/s/ David Altschul	02/09/2006			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The option will vest and become exercisable as to 1/24 of the shares each month following 02/02/2006, provided that the Reporting Person continues to serve as a director through each such vest date.

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