**BOWNE & CO INC** Form SC 13G/A January 31, 2007

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UNITED STA SECURITIES AND EXCHAN Washington, D.O	NGE COMMISSION					
SCHEDULE 1 Under the Securities Exc (Amendment No	change Act of 1934					
Bowne & Co.,	Inc.					
(Name of Iss						
Common Stock, \$0.(	01 par value					
(Title of Class of	Securities)					
10304310	05					
(CUSIP Numk	per)					
December 31,	. 2006					
(Date of Event Which Requires F	Filing of this Statement)					
Check the appropriate box to designate the is filed:	rule pursuant to which this Schedule					
[X] Rule 13d-1(b)						
[_] Rule 13d-1(c)						
[_] Rule 13d-1(d)						

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of

1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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CUSIP No. 1030431	 )5 	13G	
1. Name of Report I.R.S. Identi:	ficati	ion No. of above Person	
2. Check the App:	ropria	ate Box if a Member of a Group	(a) [_] (b) [_]
3. SEC Use Only			
4. Citizenship o	r Plac	ce of Organization	
	5.	Sole Voting Power	
Number of		0	
Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.	Shared Voting Power 1,389,406	
Each	7.	Sole Dispositive Power	
Reporting		0	
Person With:	8.	Shared Dispositive Power	
9. Aggregate Amon	 unt Be	eneficially Owned by Each Reporting	ng Person

1,389,406

10.	Check if the	Aggre	gate A	mount i	n Row	(9)	Exclud	es (	Certa	in Sha	ares	
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	4.6%											
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	Person											

8. Shared Dispositive Power

With: 1,389,406 \_\_\_\_\_\_ 9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,389,406 \_\_\_\_\_\_ 10. Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares [\_] \_\_\_\_\_\_ 11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 4.6% 12. Type of Reporting Person HC-CO \_\_\_\_\_\_ Page 3 of 7 pages

Item 4. Ownership.\*

- Amount beneficially owned: (a). See the response(s) to Item 9 on the attached cover page(s).
- (b). Percent of Class: See the response(s) to Item 11 on the attached cover page(s).
- (c). Number of shares as to which such person has:
  - (i). Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: See the response(s) to Item 5 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (ii). Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: See the response(s) to Item 6 on the attached cover page(s).
  - Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition (iii). of: See the response(s) to Item 7 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (iv). Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: See the response(s) to Item 8 on the attached cover page(s).
- Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class. Item 5. If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting persons have ceased to be the beneficial owners of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

Item 10.

Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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\* In accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission Release No. 34-39538 (January 12, 1998) (the "Release"), this filing reflects the securities beneficially owned by certain operating units (collectively, the "Goldman Sachs Reporting Units") of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. and its subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, "GSG"). This filing does not reflect securities, if any, beneficially owned by any operating units of GSG whose ownership of securities is disaggregated from that of the Goldman Sachs Reporting Units in accordance with the Release. The Goldman Sachs Reporting Units disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities beneficially owned by (i) any client accounts with respect to which the Goldman Sachs Reporting Units or their employees have voting or investment discretion, or both and (ii) certain investment entities of which the Goldman Sachs Reporting Units act as the general partner, managing general partner or other manager, to the extent interests in such entities are held by persons other than the Goldman Sachs Reporting Units.

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#### SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: January 31, 2007

THE GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC.

By:/s/ Lauren LoFaro

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Name: Lauren LoFaro Title: Attorney-in-fact

GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO.

By:/s/ Lauren LoFaro

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Name: Lauren LoFaro Title: Attorney-in-fact

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit No. Exhibit

99.1 Joint Filing Agreement, dated January 31, 2007, between The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. and Goldman, Sachs & Co.

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EXHIBIT (99.1)

#### JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) (1) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the undersigned agree to the joint filing of a Statement on Schedule 13G (including any and all amendments thereto) with respect to the Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, of Bowne & Co., Inc. and further agree to the filing of this agreement as an Exhibit thereto. In addition, each party to this Agreement expressly authorizes each other party to this Agreement to file on its behalf any and all amendments to such Statement on Schedule 13G.

Date: January 31, 2007

THE GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC.

By:/s/ Lauren LoFaro

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Name: Lauren LoFaro Title: Attorney-in-fact

GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO.

By:/s/ Lauren LoFaro

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