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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEE EUGENE I JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

RARE HOSPITALITY INTERNATIONAL INC [RARE]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

(Zin)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

X Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

8215 ROSWELL

ROAD, BUILDING 600

(Street)

(State)

09/24/2007

President and COO-Rare

Symbol

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

ATLANTA, GA 30350

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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	09/24/2007		Code V M	Amount 14,800	(D)	Price \$ 8.528	81,300	D	
Common Stock	09/24/2007		M	25,000	A	\$ 14.8753	106,300	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Al Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.528	09/24/2007		M	14,800	12/27/2000(1)	12/27/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.8753	09/24/2007		M	25,000	01/01/2002(2)	12/31/2010	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LEE EUGENE I JR 8215 ROSWELL ROAD BUILDING 600 ATLANTA, GA 30350	X		President and COO-Rare				

Signatures

Eugene I. Lee, Jr., by W. Douglas Benn,
Attorney-in-Fact

09/26/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
 - 45,000 options vested and became exercisable on December 27, 2000; 45,000 options vested and became exercisable on December 27,
- (1) 2001; 45,000 options vested and became exercisable on December 27, 2002; 45,000 options vested and became exercisable on December 27, 2003; and 45,000 options vested and became exercisable on December 27, 2004.
- 38,278 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2002; 38,278 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2003; 38,279 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2004; 38,278 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2005; and approximately 1, 2005; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2005; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2005; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2005; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006; and 2005 options vested and 2005 optio
- (2) 38,279 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2004; 38,278 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2005; and 38,279 options vested and became exercisable on January 1, 2006.

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