Patel Paresh Form 4 February 19, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Patel Paresh

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Homeowners Choice, Inc. [HCII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

2340 DREW STREET, SUITE 200

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/04/2009

X Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common stock

 $D^{(1)}$

Common stock

11,000

284,000

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)

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8			ative ties red sed 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 (2)							(2)	07/30/2013	Common	2,000 (2)
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 2.5							<u>(4)</u>	09/05/2017	Common	60,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 2.5							<u>(5)</u>	05/31/2017	Common	120,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 2.5							<u>(6)</u>	05/31/2017	Common	30,000
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (8)							11/14/2008	07/30/2013	Common	1,400 (8)
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (10)							11/18/2008	07/30/2013	Common	1,900 (10)
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (11)							11/19/2008	07/30/2013	Common	2,050
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (12)							11/20/2008	07/30/2013	Common	2,500 (12)
Stock Warrant (Right to	\$ 9.1 (13)							11/25/2008	07/30/2013	Common	500 (13)

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Buy) (7)								
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 (14)				12/09/2008	07/30/2013	Common	450 (14)
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (15)				02/02/2009	07/30/2013	Common	180 (15)
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (16)				02/06/2009	07/30/2013	Common	750 (16)
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy) (7)	\$ 9.1 (17)	02/04/2009	P	802	02/04/2009	07/30/2013	Common	401 (17)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Patel Paresh							
2340 DREW STREET	X						
SUITE 200	Λ						
CLEARWATER, FL 33765							

Signatures

/s/ Cathy J. Welch as Attorney-in-fact for Paresh
Patel 02/19/2009

**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) Shares are held jointly with spouse.
- In connection with the Homeowners Choice, Inc. initial public offering ("IPO"), 4,000 units were purchased on 7/25/08 at a price of \$7.00 per unit, with each unit consisting of one share of common stock and one warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share. The warrants may be exercised any time after the closing of the IPO up to five years after the July 30, 2008 IPO closing date.
- (3) The options were granted pursuant to the Homeowners Choice, Inc. 2007 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.
- (4) These options vest and become immediately exercisable upon the fair market value of the Company's Common Stock reaching \$7.50 per share.
- (5) Commencing on June 1, 2007 and continuing on the first day of each calendar month thereafter through and including January 1, 2010, the amount of 5,000 options will vest and become exercisable on each such monthly vesting date.

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- (6) Commencing on May 1, 2008 and continuing on the same day of each calendar year thereafter through and including May 1, 2010, the amount of 10,000 options will vest and become exercisable on each such annual vesting date.
- (7) Acquired pursuant to a Section 10b5-1 purchase plan.
- (8) 2,800 warrants were purchased on 11/14/08 at a price of \$0.3382 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (9) Warrants are held in the reporting person's IRA.
- (10) 3,800 warrants were purchased on 11/18/08 at a price of \$0.45 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (11) 4,100 warrants were purchased on 11/19/08 at a price of \$0.35 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (12) 5,000 warrants were purchased on 11/20/08 at a price of \$0.38 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (13) 1,000 warrants were purchased on 11/25/08 at a price of \$0.40 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (14) 900 warrants were purchased on 12/09/08 at a price of \$0.50 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (15) 360 warrants were purchased on 2/2/09 at a price of \$0.47 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (16) 1,500 warrants were purchased on 2/6/09 at a price of \$0.47 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.
- (17) 802 warrants were purchased on 2/4/09 at a price of \$0.47 per warrant. Two warrants may be exercised to acquire one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price equal to \$9.10 per share.

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