

Patel Paresh  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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 Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2340 DREW STREET, SUITE 200  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/24/2008

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

CLEARWATER, FL 33765

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common stock					284,000	D	(1)
Common stock					40,000	D	
Common stock	12/24/2008		G		29,000 (2)	D	\$ 0 (2)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P Der Sec (Ins	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 <sup>(3)</sup>					<sup>(3)</sup>	07/30/2013	Common	2,000 <sup>(3)</sup>
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 2.5					<sup>(5)</sup>	09/05/2017	Common	60,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 2.5					<sup>(6)</sup>	05/31/2017	Common	120,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 2.5					<sup>(7)</sup>	05/31/2017	Common	30,000
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 <sup>(8)</sup>					11/14/2008	07/30/2013	Common	1,400 <sup>(8)</sup>
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 <sup>(10)</sup>					11/18/2008	07/30/2013	Common	1,900 <sup>(10)</sup>
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 <sup>(11)</sup>					11/19/2008	07/30/2013	Common	2,050 <sup>(11)</sup>
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 <sup>(12)</sup>					11/20/2008	07/30/2013	Common	2,500 <sup>(12)</sup>



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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.

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