Homeowners Choice, Inc. Form 4 September 04, 2008

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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person _ Apostolou George			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) t Issuer		
			Homeowners Choice, Inc. [HCII]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	•		
2340 DREW STREET, SUITE 200, SUITE 200			(Month/Day/Year) 09/02/2008	XDirector 10% Owner Other (specibelow) below)		
(Street)			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		

CLEARWATER, FL 33765

(City)	(State) (2	Table Table	I - Non-Do	erivative Securi	ities Acq	puired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities A		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock	09/02/2008		P	3,000 A	\$ 6.78	3,000	D	
Common stock						100,000	D (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 2.5					<u>(4)</u>	05/31/2017	Common stock	30,000
Stock Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.1 (1)	09/02/2008		P	3,000 (1)	09/02/2008	07/30/2013	Common stock	1,500 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
- 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Apostolou George 2340 DREW STREET, SUITE 200 SUITE 200 CLEARWATER, FL 33765	X					

Signatures

/s/ Cathy J. Welch as Attorney-in-fact for George
Apostolou

09/04/2008

**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).
- Open market purchase of 3,000 Homeowners Choice, Inc. units at a price of \$6.78 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 at any time on or before July 30, 2013.
- (2) Shares are held jointly with spouse.
- (3) The options were granted pursuant to the Homeowners Choice, Inc. 2007 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.
- (4) 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.

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