DICE HOLDINGS, INC.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * QCP GP Investors II LLC

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

DICE HOLDINGS, INC. [DHX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/23/2007

(Check all applicable)

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

C/O QUADRANGLE GROUP LLC, 375 PARK AVENUE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10152

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | ole I - Non- | Derivative Secu | urities | Acquii | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|---|---|---|--|---|---------|--------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities A order Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount | (D) | d (A) | 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, par value \$0.01 | 07/23/2007 | | С | 25,447,200 | A | \$ 0 | 25,493,300 | I | See Footnotes |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 | 07/23/2007 | | S | 4,709,663 | D | \$ 13 | 20,783,637 | I | See Footnotes (2) (3) (4) |

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) | Securi (A) or (D) | mber of ative ities Acquired Disposed of 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day) | ate | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securitie |
|---|--|---|---|--|-------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|--------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amour Numbe Shares |
| Series A Convertib Preferred Stock, par value \$0.0 | \$ 0 <u>(1)</u> | 07/23/2007 | | С | | 25,447,200 | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 | 25,44 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Plante / Address | | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| QCP GP Investors II LLC C/O QUADRANGLE GROUP LLC 375 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10152 | | X | | | | |
| Quadrangle GP Investors II LP C/O QUADRANGLE GROUP LLC 375 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10152 | | X | | | | |
| Quadrangle Capital Partners II L P 375 PARK AVE NEW YORK, NY 10152 | | X | | | | |
| Quadrangle Select Partners II L P 375 PARK AVE NEW YORK, NY 10152 | | X | | | | |
| QUADRANGLE CAPITAL PARTNERS II-A L P 375 PARK AVE NEW YORK, NY 10152 | | X | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |

| /s/ Peter Ezersky, Managing Member | 07/25/2007 | | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | |

2 Reporting Owners

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).
 - On July 23, 2007, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP (the "Quadrangle Funds") converted respectively 2,290,272, 597,917 and 2,559,011 shares of Series A Preferred Stock into Common Stock on
- (1) a one-for-one basis (the "Conversion"). Following the Conversion, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP directly owned respectively 22,330,653, 599,000 and 2,563,647 shares of Common Stock reported as beneficially owned in the above table.
 - In connection with the initial public offering of Dice Holdings, Inc. (the "IPO"), Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP sold respectively 4,174,792, 103,664 and 431,207 shares of Common Stock.
- Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP sold a portion of shares held for the benefit of Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP. Following these sales, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP directly owned respectively 18,205,261, 488,340 and 2,090,036 shares of Common Stock reported as beneficially owned in the above table.
 - In connection with the IPO, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP each made a pro rata distribution to Quadrangle GP Investors II LP, the general partner of each of the Funds. As part of these distributions, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP respectively
- (3) transferred 38,723, 1,039 and 4,446 shares of Common Stock to Quadrangle GP Investors II LP. Following these transfers, Quadrangle GP Investors II LP, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP directly own respectively 44,208, 18,166,538, 487,301 and 2,085,590 shares of Common Stock reported as beneficially owned in the above table.
- QCP GP Investors II LLC is the general partner of Quadrangle GP Investors II LP, which is the general partner of each of the Quadrangle Funds. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the issuer reported herein that are beneficially owned by each of Quadrangle GP Investors II LP, Quadrangle Capital Partners II LP, Quadrangle Select Partners II LP and Quadrangle Capital Partners II-A LP, except to the extent of each of their pecuniary interest therein.

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