Homeowners Choice, Inc.

Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

TRABER I	•	Symbol Homeowners Choice, Inc. [HCII]					Issuer					
Ø	(T)' A							(Check all applicable)				
			of Earliest (Day/Year) (2012)	Fransaction			X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
	(Street)	4. If An	4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
TAMPA, F	Filed(Month/Day/Year) SAMPA, FL 33607						Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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) Martin A Traber 2012 Revocable			
									Trust			
Common stock	11/13/2012		M	32,548	A	\$ 2.5	78,231	D				
Common stock	11/13/2012		S	100	D	\$ 20.55	78,131	D				
Common stock	11/13/2012		S	231	D	\$ 20.7	77,900	D				

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Common stock	11/15/2012	M	43,007	A	\$ 2.5	120,907	D
Common stock	11/15/2012	M	11,848	A	\$ 2.5	132,755	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)			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) (1)	\$ 2.5	11/13/2012		M		32,548	(2)	05/31/2017	Common	43,007
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 2.5	11/15/2012		M		43,007	<u>(2)</u>	05/31/2017	Common	0
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 2.5	11/15/2012		M		11,848	<u>(3)</u>	05/31/2017	Common	18,152

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TRABER MARTIN A 5300 W. CYPRESS STREET SUITE 100 TAMPA, FL 33607	X						

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Signatures

/s/ Cathy J. Welch as Attorney-in-fact for Martin A.

Traber

11/15/2012

**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) The options were granted pursuant to the Homeowners Choice, Inc. 2007 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.
- (2) 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.
- (3) 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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