**HATTON DEAN** Form 4 August 21, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1 Name and Address of Departing De

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HATTON DEAN  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O HIGHER ONE HOLDINGS, INC., 115 MUNSON STREET				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Higher One Holdings, Inc. [ONE]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
				3. Date of (Month/D) 08/20/2	ay/Yea		ansaction			(Check all applicable)  _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street) NEW HAVEN, CT 06511				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction E (Month/Day/Ye	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				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)		
	Common Stock	08/20/2012			M		11,500	A	\$ 4.59	76,971	D		
	Common Stock	08/20/2012			S		11,500	D	\$ 11.35 (1)	65,471	D		
	Common Stock									198,920	I	by the Dean W. Hatton GRAT	
	Common									125,000	I	by the	

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Hatton GRAT of 2011

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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.59	08/20/2012		M	11,500	09/25/2013(2)	09/29/2012	Common Stock	11,500

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Date

**HATTON DEAN** C/O HIGHER ONE HOLDINGS, INC. 115 MUNSON STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06511



### **Signatures**

/s/ Thomas D. Kavanaugh as attorney-in-fact for Dean 08/21/2012 Hatton

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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 price represents the weighted average sale price of multiple transactions on the reported date at prices between \$11.18 and \$11.67. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff,

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the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

(2) This option vests at a rate of 25% on 9/25/2009, and in 36 equal monthly installments over the following three years. Mr. Hatton will have until September 29, 2012 to exercise this option as a result of his retirement.

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