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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement Trinity Place Holdings Inc [TPHS] DS Fund I LLC (Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1001 BRICKELL BAY (Check all applicable) DRIVE, SUITE 3102A (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group \_X\_\_ 10% Owner Director Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting Person MIAMI, FLÂ 33131 \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D (1) (2) Â Common Stock 2,308,229 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect Exercisable Date Number of (I) Shares (Instr. 5)

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
<b>F-8</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
DS Fund I LLC 1001 BRICKELL BAY DRIVE SUITE 3102A MIAMI, FL 33131	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
DESAI BHARAT 525 E. BIG BEAVER ROAD TROY, MI 48083	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
SETHI NEERJA 525 E. BIG BEAVER ROAD TROY, MI 48083	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	

### **Signatures**

/s/ Bharat Desai on behalf of I LLC	DS Investco LLC, the Managing Member of DS Fund I	09/24/2012
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Bharat Desai		09/24/2012
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Neerja Sethi		09/24/2012
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) These shares are directly owned by DS Fund I LLC.
- Bharat Desai and Neerja Sethi who may be deemed to control the DS Fund I LLC through their ownership of an intervening limited

  (2) liability company, DS Investco LLC, may be deemed to beneficially own all the shares of common stock presently owned by DS Fund I LLC.

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