FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JUDD SAMUEL A			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2004  3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TAKE TWO INTERACTIVE SOFTWARE INC [ TTWO ]							wo]		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  TAKE-TWO INTERACTIVE SOFTWARE, INC.					Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
622 BROADWAY				X	Officer (give title below)  SVP Planning & Adm	Other (spe below) ninistration	, I	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10012				J			11		More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						unt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock (Restricted) <sup>(1)</sup>						15,000	D					
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)		d 3. Title and Amount of Security Underlying Derivative Security			4. Conversion or Exercise Price of		5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Derivati Security	ve	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Rule 16b-3 Sto	ock Option (rigl	ht to buy)(1)	07/30/2004	07/30/2009	9	Common Stock	90,000	31.2	4	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Vesting in thirds over a three-year period beginning on first anniversary.

<u>/s/ Samuel A Judd</u> 09/10/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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