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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

obligations may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MAFFEI GREGORY B					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Starz Acquisition LLC [STRZA]							:	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O STARZ ACQUISITION LLC, 8900 LIBERTY CIRCLE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2016							-	Officer (give title	below)	Other (	specify below	
(Street) ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112				4. If	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 Acqui							Acquir	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
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### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MAFFEI GREGORY B C/O STARZ ACQUISITION LLC 8900 LIBERTY CIRCLE ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	X					

# **Signatures**

/s/ Timothy Sweeney, attorney-in-fact	12/12/2016
**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).
- Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of June 30, 2016 (as amended, the "Merger Agreement"), by and among Starz, Lions Gate Entertainment Corp. ("Lions Gate"), and Orion Arm Acquisition Inc. ("Merger Sub"), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Lions Gate, on December 8, 2016, Merger Sub was merged with and into Starz, with Starz continuing as the surviving corporation and a wholly owned subsidiary of Lions Gate (the "Merger"). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger, each share of Starz Series A common stock was converted into the right to receive \$18.00 in cash and 0.6784 of a Class B non-voting share of Lions Gate ("Lions Gate non-voting stock").
- (2) This stock option was fully vested at the time of the Merger.

In accordance with the terms of the Merger Agreement, at the effective time of the Merger, each Starz stock option outstanding and unexercised immediately prior to the effective time of the Merger was converted automatically into an option to purchase a number of shares of Lions Gate non-voting stock (rounded down to the nearest whole share) equal to the product determined by multiplying (3) the number of options set forth in Column 5 of Table II by 1.3633, with a per-share exercise price (rounded up to the nearest whole cent) equal to the quotient determined by dividing the per-share exercise price set forth in Column 2 of Table II by 1.3633, with substantially the same terms and conditions as were applicable to each option immediately prior to the effective time of the Merger.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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