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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(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 ONEIDA LTD [ONEI] A Xerion Capital Partners LLC (Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 450 PARK AVENUE, Â 27TH (Check all applicable) **FLOOR** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director Officer \_X\_ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting 13(d) group member - over 10% Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022 \_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. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D (3) (4) (5) Â Common Stock, par value \$1.00  $\frac{(1)}{(2)}$ 3,985,229 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)	

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

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships			
Reporting Owner Name / Address		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Xerion Capital Partners LLC 450 PARK AVENUE 27TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
Xerion Partners II Master Fund LTD C/O BNY ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT SERVICES 18 CHURCH STREET SKANDIA HOUSE HAMILTON HM11 BERMUDAÂ		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
Arbess Daniel J 450 PARK AVENUE 27TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
Xerion Partners I LLC TWO AMERICAN LANE GREENWICH, CT 06836-2571		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
Sunrise Partners Limited Partnership TWO AMERICAN LANE GREENWICH, CT 06836-2571		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
SUSSMAN S DONALD 6100 RED HOOK QUARTER, 18B SUITES C1-6 ST. THOMAS USVIÂ 00802		Â	Â	Â	13(d) group member - over 10%
Signatures					
Xerion Partners II Master Fund Limited - /s/ Roderick Forrest, President	07/21/200	)6			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date	e		
Xerion Capital Partners LLC - /s/ Daniel J. Arbess, Managing Member	07/21/200	)6			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date	e		
/s/ Daniel J. Arbess	07/21/200	)6			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date	e		
Xerion Partners I LLC - /s/ Michael J. Berner, Vice President	07/21/200	)6			

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

Sunrise Partners Limited Partnership -07/21/2006 /s/ Michael J. Berner, Vice President

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

S. Donald Sussman - /s/ Michael J.

Berner, Attorney-in-Fact for S. 07/21/2006

Donald Sussman

\*\*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).

On July 11, 2006, Xerion Capital Partners LLC ("XCP") and D. E. Shaw Laminar Portfolios, L.L.C. ("Laminar") entered into a Letter of Intent with the Issuer (the "Agreement") with respect to the potential acquisition by a company controlled by XCP and its affiliates,

(1) and/or Laminar and certain of its affiliates or designees of 100% of the equity interests of the Issuer as reorganized under a confirmed plan of reorganization under chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. Solely as a result of the Agreement, XCP and Laminar may be deemed to be a group for the reporting purposes of this Form 3.

The number of shares reported on this Form 3 excludes 1,057,000 shares of common stock, par value \$1.00 per share (the "Common Stock"), of the Issuer (the "Laminar Shares") beneficially owned by Laminar and its affiliates. If the Laminar Shares were included, the aggregate amount deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons would be 5,042,729, and the percent of class represented by

- this aggregate amount would be 10.8%. Laminar and its affiliates disclaim beneficial ownership (including any pecuniary interest) of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons, and the Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership (including any pecuniary interest) of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Laminar and its affiliates.
  - 2,100,000 shares of Common Stock to which this Form relates are held directly by Xerion Partners II Master Fund Limited ("XP-II"), and 1,885,229 shares of Common Stock are held directly by Xerion Partners I LLC ("XP-I"). XCP (as investment manager to XP-II) and Mr. Daniel J. Arbess ("Mr. Arbess") (as managing member of XCP) may be deemed to be the beneficial owners of the Common Stock held
- (3) directly by XP-II for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). Sunrise Partners Limited Partnership ("Sunrise") (as managing member of XP-I), Mr. S. Donald Sussman ("Mr. Sussman") (as indirect controlling person of Sunrise and XP-I) and Mr. Arbess (as investment manager of Sunrise) may be deemed to be the beneficial owners of the Common Stock held directly by XP-I for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a) of the Act.
- In accordance with instruction 4(b)(iv), the entire number of shares of Common Stock that may be deemed to be beneficially owned by XP-I, Sunrise, Mr. Sussman, XP-II, XCP or Mr. Arbess is reported herein.
- Each of XP-II and XCP disclaims beneficial ownership, solely as a result of Rule 13d-5(b)(1) under the Act, of shares of Common Stock (5) beneficially owned by XP-I, Sunrise and Mr. Sussman. Each of XP-I, Sunrise and Mr. Sussman disclaims beneficial ownership, solely as a result of Rule 13d-5(b)(1) under the Act, of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by XP-II and XCP.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number. width="15%" style="BORDER-TOP: black 0.75pt solid"> (c) S.E.C. FILE NO.

The Gabelli Global Deal Fund

20-8195443

811-21969

1(d) ADDRESS OF **ISSUER** 

STATEZ **STREET CITY** CODE

Signatures 3

One Corporate

Center NY 10580 Rye

**CITY** 2(a) NAME OF (b) IRS (c) RELATIONSHIP(d) ADDRESS STREET

PERSON FOR IDENT. TO ISSUER **CODE** 

**WHOSE** NO.

ACCOUNT THE

**SECURITIES** 

ARE TO BE

**SOLD** 

Parent Company of

GAMCO Investors, 13-4044521 Investment Adviser NY 1058 One Corporate Center Rye

Inc. for Issuer

INSTRUCTION: The person filing this notice should contact the issuer to obtain the I.R.S. Identification Number and the S.E.C. File Number.

3(a) (	(b)	SEC USE	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(	(g)
Title of	Name and	ONLY	Number	Aggregate	Number of	Approximate Date o	f Sale	Name of
the	Address of		of	Market	Shares or	[See instr. 3(f)]		Each
Class	Each Broker	Broker-Dealer	Shares	Value	Other	(MO DAY	YR)	Securities
of	Through	File Number	or Other	([See instr.	Units			Exchange
Securities	Whom the		Units	3(d)]	Outstanding			[See instr.
To Be	Securities are		To Be		[See instr.			3(g)
Sold	to be Offered		Sold		3(e)]			
(	or Each Market		[See					
	Maker who is		instr.					
	Acquiring the		3(c)]					
	Securities							
(	Gabelli &							
Common	Company, Inc.		20,000	252,916	21,211,510	11/14/08 - 2/13/	'09	NYSE
Stock (	One Corporate			as of				
(	Center			11/14/08				
]	Rye, NY							
	10580							

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (g) (a) Name of Issuer
- (h) Issuer's I.R.S. Identification Number intended to be sold
- (i) Issuer's S.E.C. file number, if any
- (i) Issuer's address, including zip code
- area code
- (g) (a) Name of person for whose account the securities are to be sold (h) Such person's relationship to the issuer (e.g., officer, director, 10% stockholder, or member of immediate family of any of the foregoing)

- (g) (a) Title of the class of securities to be sold
- (h) Name and address of each broker through whom the securities are
- (i) Number of shares or other units to be sold (if debt securities, give the aggregate face amount)
- (k) Issuer's telephone number, including (j) Aggregate market value of the securities to be sold as of a specified date within 10 days prior to the filing of this notice
  - (k) Number of shares or other units of the class outstanding, or if debt securities the face amount thereof outstanding, as shown by the most recent

report or statement published by the issuer

- (g) Approximate date on which the securities are to be sold
- (g) Name of each securities exchange, if any, on which the securities are intended to be sold

I Such person's address, including zip code

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#### TABLE I - SECURITIES TO BE SOLD

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration \_herefore:

Title of the Class	Date You Acquired	Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Name of Person from Whom Acquired (if gift, also give date donor acquired)	Amount of Securities Acquired	Date of Payment	Nature of Payment
Common Stock	01/26/07	Private Purchase	Issuer	20,000	01/31/07	Cash

INSTRUCTIONS: If the securities were purchased and full payment therefore was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments, describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

#### TABLE II – SECURITIES SOLD DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of	Gross Proceeds
			Securities Sold	
		10/21/08	15,000	195,344
GAMCO Investors, Inc.	Common Stock	10/22/08	15,000	193,715
One Corporate Center		10/23/08	15,000	191,987
Rye, NY 10580		10/24/08	15,000	186,599
		10/27/08	15,000	187,053
		10/28/08	15,000	187,104
		10/29/08	15,000	188,456
		10/30/08	15,000	195,842
		10/31/08	7,500	98,333
		11/3/08	2,000	26,664
		11/4/08	1,200	16,344
		11/5/08	15,000	201,699
		11/6/08	15,000	198,890
		11/7/08	15,000	199,343
		11/10/08	15,000	198,383
		11/11/08	15,000	193,278
		11/12/08	20,000	255,534
		11/13/08	20,000	249,862

11/14/08 20,000 252,916

**REMARKS**:

**INSTRUCTIONS:** 

#### ATTENTION:

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of RuThe person for whose account the securities to which this 144. Information is to be given not only as to the personnotice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to this notice that he does not know any material adverse all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information in regard to the current and prospective information shall be given as to sales by all persons whoseoperations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to behas not been publicly disclosed. If such person has aggregated with sales for the account of the person filingadopted a written trading plan or given trading this notice. instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange

Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or

instruction date.

November 14, 2008

/s/ Douglas R. Jamieson DATE OF NOTICE

(SIGNATURE)

Douglas R.

Jamieson, President

DATE OF PLAN ADOPTION OR GIVING OF INSTRUCTION

The notice shall be signed by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold. At least IF RELYING ON **RULE 10B5-1** one copy of the notice shall be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed shall bear

typed or printed signatures.

ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)

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