## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON, DC 20549** 

<b>FORM</b> 8	<b>8-A</b>
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FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

# **DHC ACQUISITION CORP.**

(Exact Name Of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)

Cayman Islands
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

98-1574798 (J.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

535 Silicon Drive, Suite 100 Southlake, TX (Address of principal executive offices)

76092 (Zip Code)

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class
to be so registered
Units, each consisting of one Class A ordinary share, \$0.0001 par value,
and one-third of one redeemable warrant

Class A ordinary shares included as part of the units Redeemable warrants included as part of the units, each whole warrant exercisable for one Class A ordinary share at an exercise price of \$11.50 Name of each exchange on which each class is to be registered The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

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Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-252891

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:
None

#### Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered

The description of the units, each consisting of one Class A ordinary share, \$0.0001 par value, and one-third of one redeemable warrant, the Class A ordinary shares and the redeemable warrants, each whole warrant exercisable for one Class A ordinary share at an exercise price of \$11.50 (subject to adjustment), of DHC Acquisition Corp., a Cayman Islands exempted company, as set forth under the caption "Description of Securities" in the prospectus forming a part of the Registration Statement on Form S-1, as originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on February 9, 2021 (Registration No. 333-252891), including exhibits, and as subsequently amended from time to time (the "Registration Statement"), is hereby incorporated by reference. In addition, all of the above-referenced descriptions included in any prospectus relating to the Registration Statement filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference herein.

#### Item 2. Exhibits

Pursuant to the Instructions as to Exhibits for Form 8-A, no exhibits are required to be filed, because no other securities of the Registrant are registered on the Nasdaq Stock Market LLC, and the securities registered hereby are not being registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

### DHC ACQUISITION CORP.

Date: March 1, 2021 By: /s/ Christopher Gaertner

Name: Christopher Gaertner

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer

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