SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(Amendment No. 7)¹

SPHERE 3D CORP.

(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, NO PAR VALUE PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities)

84841L100 (CUSIP number)

Jennifer M. Pulick General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer Cyrus Capital Partners, L.P. 399 Park Avenue, 39th Floor New York, New York 10022 (212) 380-5821

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

January 26, 2017 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), 13d-1(g), check the following box \Box .

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The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act.

¹ The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS				
	Cyrus Capital Partners, L.P.				
2.	CHECK THE A	APPROP	RIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	AF				
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	Delaware				
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
S	SHARES		0		
BEN	EFICIALLY	8.	SHARED VOTING POWER		
OV	OWNED BY		20,289,192 ¹		
	EACH		SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
RE	REPORTING				
P	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		20,289,192 ¹		
11.	AGGREGATE	AMOUI	NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	20,289,192 ¹				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11				
	25.2% ¹				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON				
	PN				

Includes (i) 8,166,666 Common Shares issuable upon conversion of US\$24,500,000 in principal amount of the New Debentures at a Conversion Price of US\$3.00 per share, (ii) 300,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the 2015 Warrants, (iii) 500,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the December 2015 Warrants and (iv) 500,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the February 2016 Warrants.

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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS			
	Crescent 1, L.P.			
2.	CHECK THE A	APPROF	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	
	(a) □ (b) ⊠			
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y		
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS		
	00			
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) □	
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION	
	Delaware			
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER	
S	SHARES			
BEN	BENEFICIALLY		SHARED VOTING POWER	
OV	WNED BY		174,041	
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
RE	PORTING			
P	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	WITH		174,041	
11.	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	
	174,041			
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □			
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11	
	0.2%			
14.	TYPE OF REPO	ORTING	G PERSON	
	PN			

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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS CDS Marter Fund L. D.			
	CRS Master Fund, L.P.			
2.		APPROF	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	
	(a) □ (b) ⊠			
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y		
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS		
	00			
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) □	
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION	
	Cayman Islands			
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER	
5	SHARES		0	
BEN	BENEFICIALLY		SHARED VOTING POWER	
VO	WNED BY		151,458	
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
RE	PORTING		0	
F	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	WITH		151,458	
11.	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	
	151,458			
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □			
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11	
	0.2%			
14.	TYPE OF REPO	ORTING	G PERSON	
	PN			

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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS			
	Cyrus Opportunities Master Fund II, Ltd.			
2.	CHECK THE A	PPROP	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	
	(a) □ (b) ⊠			
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y		
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS		
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5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) □	
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION	
	Cayman Island	l		
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER	
S	SHARES			
BEN	BENEFICIALLY		SHARED VOTING POWER	
OV	VNED BY		473,355	
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
RE	PORTING			
F	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
	WITH		473,355	
11.	. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	
	473,355			
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □			
13.			REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11	
	0.7%			
14.	TYPE OF REPO	ORTINO	G PERSON	
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1.	NAMES OF RE	_			
	Cyrus Select Opportunities Master Fund, Ltd.				
2.	CHECK THE A	APPROF	RIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	00				
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	Cayman Islands				
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
9	SHARES		0		
BEN	BENEFICIALLY		SHARED VOTING POWER		
O	OWNED BY		76,427		
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	PORTING		0		
I	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		76,427		
11.	11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	76,427				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		
	0.1%				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON		GPERSON		
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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS				
	Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C.				
2.	CHECK THE A	APPROP	RIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	AF				
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	Delaware				
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
S	SHARES		0		
BEN	EFICIALLY	8.	SHARED VOTING POWER		
OV	OWNED BY		20,289,192 ¹		
	EACH		SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
RE	REPORTING		0		
P	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		20,289,192 ¹		
11.	AGGREGATE	AMOU!	NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	$20,289,192^{1}$				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11				
	25.2% ¹				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON				
	00				

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1.	NAMES OF RE	EPORTI	NG PERSONS		
	Cyrus Capital Advisors, L.L.C.				
2.	CHECK THE A	APPROF	RIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Υ			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	AF				
5.	CHECK BOX I	IF DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	Delaware				
NU	JMBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
9	SHARES				
BEN	BENEFICIALLY		SHARED VOTING POWER		
O	WNED BY		325,499		
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	EPORTING				
I	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		325,499		
11.	11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	325,499				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11		
	0.5%				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON		G PERSON		
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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS				
	FBC Holdings S.à r.l.				
2.		APPROP	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	00				
5.	CHECK BOX I	F DISC	LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	Luxembourg				
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
S	SHARES		0		
BEN	EFICIALLY	8.	SHARED VOTING POWER		
OV	OWNED BY		19,413,911 ¹		
	EACH		SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
RE	REPORTING		0		
P	PERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		19,413,911 ¹		
11.	1. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	19,413,911 ¹				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11				
	24.1% 1				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON				
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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS				
	Stephen C. Freidheim				
2.		APPROP	PRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP		
	(a) □ (b) ⊠				
3.	SEC USE ONL	Y			
4.	SOURCE OF F	UNDS			
	AF				
5.			LOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e) \Box		
6.	CITIZENSHIP	OR PLA	ACE OF ORGANIZATION		
	United States				
NU	MBER OF	7.	SOLE VOTING POWER		
S	SHARES		0		
BEN	EFICIALLY	8.	SHARED VOTING POWER		
OV	OWNED BY		20,289,192 ¹		
	EACH	9.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	REPORTING		0		
F	ERSON	10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
	WITH		20,289,192 1		
11.	1. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		NT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	20,289,192 ¹				
12.	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □				
13.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 11				
	25.2% ¹				
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON				
	IN				

Includes (i) 8,166,666 Common Shares issuable upon conversion of US\$24,500,000 in principal amount of the New Debentures at a Conversion Price of US\$3.00 per share, (ii) 300,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the 2015 Warrants, (iii) 500,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the December 2015 Warrants and (iv) 500,000 Common Shares issuable upon exercise of the February 2016 Warrants.

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ITEM 1. Security and Issuer

This constitutes Amendment No. 7 ("Amendment No. 7") to the Schedule 13D relating to the shares of Common Stock of Sphere 3D Corporation (the "Issuer" or "Sphere 3D") filed with the SEC on December 11, 2014 as subsequently amended by Amendment No. 1 filed on August 4, 2015 and further amended by Amendment No. 2 filed on January 4, 2016, Amendment No. 3 filed on April 28, 2016, Amendment No. 4 filed on September 27, 2016, Amendment No. 5 filed on December 22, 2016 and Amendment No. 6 filed on January 4, 2017 (as so amended, the "Schedule 13D") by Cyrus Capital Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Cyrus Capital"), Crescent 1, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("CRS"), CRS Master Fund, L.P., a Cayman Islands exempted limited partnership ("CRS"), Cyrus Opportunities Master Fund II, Ltd., a Cayman Islands exempted limited company ("CMFII"), Cyrus Select Opportunities Master Fund, Ltd., a Cayman Islands exempted limited company ("CSOM"), Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("Cyrus GP"), Cyrus Capital Advisors, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company ("Cyrus Advisors"), FBC Holdings S.à r.l., a Luxembourg private limited liability company ("FBC") and Mr. Stephen C. Freidheim (each of Cyrus Capital, CRES, CRS, CMFII, CSOM, Cyrus GP, Cyrus Advisors, FBC and Mr. Freidheim, a "Reporting Person" and collectively the "Reporting Persons"). This Amendment No. 7 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth herein. Only those items amended are reported herein. Capitalized terms used in this Amendment No. 7 without being defined herein have the respective meanings given to them in the Schedule 13D.

ITEM 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

- (a) and (b) Items 7 through 11 and 13 of each of the cover pages of this Schedule 13D are incorporated herein by reference. Such information is based on the (i) 51,192,287 Common Shares outstanding at July 27, 2016 as disclosed in the Management Information Circular of Sphere 3D dated as of August 4, 2016 plus (ii) 3,105,137 Common Shares issued on December 30, 2016 in lieu of interest plus (iii) 16,906,666 Common Shares issued by Sphere 3D on January 26, 2017 in a private placement as reported by Sphere 3D in its Report of Foreign Private Issuer on Form 6-K dated January 26, 2017.
- (c) There have been no transactions with respect to the securities of Sphere 3D during the sixty days prior to the date of this Schedule 13D by the Reporting Persons, or to their knowledge, by any executive officer or director of the Reporting Persons.
- (d) No other person is known by any Reporting Persons to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, securities of Sphere 3D beneficially owned by any Reporting Person.
- (e) Not applicable.

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ITEM 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer

The Reporting Persons may be deemed to be a "group" pursuant to Section 13(d)(3) of the Act. Neither the filing of this Schedule 13D nor any of its contents shall be deemed to constitute an admission that the Reporting Persons or any of their respective affiliates are the beneficial owners of any Common Stock beneficially owned by any of the Reporting Persons for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Act, the rules promulgated thereunder or for any other purpose.

The information set forth in Item 4 of this Schedule 13D is hereby incorporated by reference.

ITEM 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits

99.2 Joint Filing Agreement as required by Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (incorporated by reference to Schedule 13D as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 11, 2014)

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned hereby certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.
EXECUTED as a sealed instrument this 2 nd day of February, 2017

CYRUS CAPITAL PARTNERS, L.P.

By: Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

CRESCENT 1, L.P.

By: Cyrus Capital Advisors, L.L.C., its general partner

By: Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., its managing member

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

CRS MASTER FUND, L.P.

By: Cyrus Capital Advisors, L.L.C., its general partner

By: Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., its managing member

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

CYRUS OPPORTUNITIES MASTER FUND II, LTD.

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim
Title: Authorized signatory

CYRUS SELECT OPPORTUNITIES MASTER FUND, LTD.

y: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim Title: Authorized signatory

CYRUS CAPITAL PARTNERS GP, L.L.C.

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

CYRUS CAPITAL ADVISORS, L.L.C.

By: Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., its managing member

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

FBC HOLDINGS S.á r.l.

By: Cyrus Capital Partners, L.P., as investment manager of the

shareholders

By: Cyrus Capital Partners GP, L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Name: Stephen C. Freidheim

Title: Manager

STEPHEN C. FREIDHEIM

/s/ Stephen C. Freidheim

Stephen C. Freidheim