FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEDELL HENRI L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/07/2007 Officer (give title below) below) Other (specify below)												ecify	
(Street) NASHVILLE TN 37215						f Ame	ndme	nt, Date o	of Origina	al File	ed (Month/Da	Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
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		Tak	ole I - No	on-Deri	vative	Se	curit	ies Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)					ction ay/Year	Execut		ned on Date, Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			s Acquired (A) or of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Indire Bene	ficial ership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transactio (Instr. 3 an				(11154	,
CXW Co	mmon Stoo	ck		09/07/	/2007				M		12,000	A	\$3.74	698,9	98 ⁽¹⁾	I)		
CXW Co	mmon Stoo	rk		09/07/	09/07/2007				M		12,000	A	\$2.92	52.92 710,998 ⁽¹⁾		D			
CXW Co	mmon Stoo	rk		09/07/2007					M		12,000	A	\$ 5.83 7 22,99		98 ⁽¹⁾ D)		
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CXW Co	mmon Stoo	rk		09/07/	/2007				M		12,000	A	\$12.32	758,998(1)		D			
CXW Common Stock													750,956		 		By v		
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CXW Common Stock														337,4	337,466			_	Wedell ndthrift st
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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$3.74	09/07/2007			М			12,000	01/11/2	001	01/11/2011	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	(0			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.92	09/07/2007			М			12,000	05/22/2	001	05/22/2011	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	(0 Е			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$5.83	09/07/2007			М			12,000	05/16/2	002	05/16/2012	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	(0	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$7.13	09/07/2007			М			12,000	05/15/2	003	05/15/2013	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	(0	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$11.89	09/07/2007			М			12,000	05/13/2	004	05/13/2014	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	(0	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		umber vative urities uired or oosed O) (Instr. and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$12.32	09/07/2007		M			12,000	05/10/2005	05/10/2015	CXW Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes 17,388 shares held in IRA.
- 2. Shares granted under stock incentive plan upon appointment or annual election, as applicable, to the company's Board of Directors.

Remarks:

Scott Craddock, Attorney In Fact 09/11/2007

** 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 4 (b)(v).
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