SEC Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person[*]	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
MULLENGER TODD	CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW]	Director / 10% Owner / X Officer (give title below) / Other (specify below)
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2011	EVP, CFO
10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
NASHVILLE TN 37215		X Form filed by One Reporting Person / Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock CXW	02/25/2011		A[(1)]		10,075	A	$0.00	46,268[(2)]	D	
Common Stock CXW	02/25/2011[(3)]		F[(3)]		2,843	D	$24.53	43,425[(2)]	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Issuance of stock by company upon vesting of a portion of perfomance-based restricted stock units granted to reporting person in 2009 and 2010; includes phantom stock representing right to acquire 6505 shares of issuer common stock upon separation of employment. Reporting person elected to defer receipt of stock upon vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted in 2009 pursuant to the issuer's 2008 stock incentive plan.

2. Includes 13,010 shares of phantom stock representing right to acquire shares of issuer common stock upon separation of employment.

3. Securities withheld to pay tax liability incident to vesting (upon satisfaction of certain performance-based vesting conditions) of a portion of restricted stock issued to the reporting person in 2008 and performance-based restricted stock units granted in 2010.

Remarks:

Scott Craddock, Attorney in Fact	03/01/2011
** 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).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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