
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

FORM 8-K/A

Amendment No. 1

CURRENT REPORT

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 6, 2012

Corrections Corporation of America

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
**(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)**

001-16109
**(Commission
File Number)**

62-1763875
**(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)**

10 Burton Hills Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee 37215
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(615) 263-3000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Explanatory Note

This Current Report on Form 8-K/A amends and supplements the Current Report on Form 8-K of Corrections Corporation of America (the “Company”), originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 17, 2011 (the “Initial Filing”). The sole purpose for filing this Form 8-K/A is to disclose the Company’s determination with respect to the frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation paid to the Company’s Named Executive Officers. No other changes have been made to the Initial Filing.

Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to Vote of Security Holders.

On May 17, 2011, the Company reported in its Initial Filing that a majority of the Company’s shareholders cast an advisory vote for an annual frequency for future advisory votes on the executive compensation paid to the Company’s Named Executive Officers.

Consistent with the shareholders’ advisory vote, the Company’s Board of Directors has determined that the Company will hold future shareholder advisory votes on the executive compensation paid to its Named Executive Officers on an annual basis until the next vote on the frequency of such vote is conducted or until the Board of Directors determines that a different frequency of such votes is in the best interests of the shareholders of the Company.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 6, 2012

CORRECTIONS CORPORATION OF AMERICA

By: /s/ Todd J Mullenger
Todd J Mullenger
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer