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* CORRENTI JOHN D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
CORRENTI JOHN D				C	CXW]							X Directo	r	10% Owner		ner	
(Last) 13400 B	(FI	,	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2012						Officer below)	(give title	Other (speci below)		pecify		
				— 4 .	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Ir	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) BROOKFIELD WI 53005				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,						Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)	_								Form fi Person		than	One Report	ing	
		Tab	le I - Non-De	rivativ	/e Se	curitie	s A	cquired, Di	sposed o	f, or Ber	neficial	ly Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)			Beneficia Owned F	es ally Following	Form:	Direct of Indirect str. 4)	. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)			
		1	Гаble II - Der (e.g					quired, Dis s, options,				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Execution (Month/Day/Year) if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Code	sansaction of Deri Section Acq (A) of Displayed of (I)		itive ities red sed 3, 4	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 derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$26.26	03/16/2012		A		6,711		04/30/2013 ⁽¹⁾	03/16/2022	CXW Common Stock	6,711	\$0.00	6,711		D		
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00 ⁽²⁾	03/16/2012		A		1,904		04/30/2013 ⁽²⁾	04/30/2013	CXW Common Stock	1,904	\$0.00	1,904		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Option will vest in full on April 30, 2013.
- 2. Each restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive a share of CXW Common Stock. RSU's vest in full on April 30, 2013.

Remarks:

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney in 03/20/2012 **Fact**

** 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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