FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MULLENGER TODD					<u>C</u> (	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA  CXW ]								(Che	ck all applic	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2008										below)		below)	урсону
(Street)  NASHV  (City)			37215 (Zip)		- 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, I	Disp	osed o	f, or E	Bene	ficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) o ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount (A)		) or )	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	on(s)			(Instr. 4)
CWX Common Stock 02/20/					20/200	/2008			A <sup>(1)</sup>		13,010 A S		\$0.00	37,438			D		
		-	Table II - I						uired, Di , options						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Daif any (Month/Day/	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$26.71	02/20/2008			A <sup>(2)</sup>		45,071		02/20/2009	9 0	2/20/2018	CXW Commo	on 4	5,071	\$0.00	45,07	1	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Grant of restricted shares subject to vesting over a three-year period based upon satisfaction of certain performance criteria for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2008, 2009 and 2010. No more than one third of such shares may vest in the first performance period; however, the performance criteria are cumulative for the three-year period and are subject to accelerated vesting upon certain events (death, disability or certain "change in control" events).
- 2. Grant of options to purchase up to the number of shares listed, with vesting to occur in equal increments over a three-year period on the anniversary dates of the grant.

### Remarks:

Exhibit Index Exhibit 24 -- Power of Attorney

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney In Fact

02/22/2008

\*\* 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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#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of David M. Garfinkle, Scott L. Craddock, Karin S. Demler, and Andrea N. Orr, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Corrections Corporation of America, a Maryland corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, and any other forms or reports the undersigned may be required to file in connection with the undersigned's ownership, acquisition, or disposition of securities of the Company;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, or other form or report, and timely file such form or report with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 23 rd day of August, 2007.

/s/ Todd J. Mullenger Signature

Todd J. Mullenger Print Name