FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FERGUSON JOHN D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA CXW]									(Check all applicable) X Director		ting Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify		Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2011									belov	fficer (give title elow) Chairman		below	
Street) NASHVILLE TN 37215 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/Y					Execution Date,			3. Transa Code (1 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		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		Transa (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(1130. 4)	
CXW Cor	nmon Stocl	k													43,	971 ⁽¹⁾	D		
CXW Common Stock															13	7,661	I		Ferguson Financial LLC
CXW Common Stock														1	,052	I		Ferguson Family Trust	
CXW Common Stock 02/08/2				011				S		20,000 D \$2		\$25.3	3579	309,174		I		Ferguson Revocable Living Trust	
		Та	ıble II								posed of, convertib				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction of Code (Instr. Deriv			Expira (Mont	ation E	(Year)	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		t		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owr Forr Dire or Ir (I) (I	ership n: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date		of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 3,411 shares beneficially owned through company 401(k) benefit plan, as updated to reflect the most recent plan statement for the reporting person, and 8,674 shares of restricted stock subject to time and performance based vesting conditions.

Remarks:

Shares sold pursuant to 10b5-1 trading plan.

Scott Craddock, Attorney in 02/10/2011 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).
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