FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

| | OMB APPROVAL | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Seiter Richard P | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA CXW | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | |
|---|---|----------------------------|---|------|--|---|------|---------------------------|--|------------------------|---|---|--|---------------|--|---|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2011 | | | | | | X Officer (give title Officer (specify below) Executive Vice President & CCO | | | | |
| (Street) NASHVILLE TN 37215 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | Line | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Deriva) | | | | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | | Code (Instr. 5) | | | ed (A) or | 5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F | nt of 6 es F ally (I | Form: | Direct I Indirect E str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | | Code V | Amoun | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a | ion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Table II - De e. | | | | | uired, Dis , options, | | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | ise (Month/Day/Year) /e | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Code | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | of E | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | e s lly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | 1 1 1- | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$24.42 | 02/23/2011 | | A | | 43,950 | | 02/23/2012 ⁽¹⁾ | 02/23/202 | CXW Common Stock | 43,950 | \$0.00 | 43,950 | 0 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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:

Scott Craddock, Attorney in

02/25/2011

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).
- ** 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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