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* ANDREWS WILLIAM F (Last) (First) (Middle) 1409 MORAN ROAD (Street) FRANKLIN TN 37069 (City) (State) (Zip)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2004 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							- (C	 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		ar) 3. Transact Code (In 8) Code	tion 4. str. 5	Amount (A) or (D)		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 an Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			(e.g., p ^{ed Date,}			nber tive ties red sed	quired, Disposed of s, options, converti 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		vertil			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		ration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$29.95	02/17/2004			A ⁽¹⁾		3,080		02/17/2005	02/17	7/2014	Common Stock	3,080	\$0	3,180	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase	\$29.95	02/17/2004			A ⁽¹⁾		3,181		02/17/2006	02/17	7/2014	Common Stock	3,181	\$0	3,181	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$29.95	02/17/2004			A ⁽¹⁾		3,181		02/17/2007	02/17	7/2014	Common Stock	3,181	\$0	3,181	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Company granted to reporting person the option to purchase up to 9542 shares of its common stock, vesting over a three year period in equal increments

Remarks:

Todd Mullenger

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/19/2004

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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