

CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA

Form 4

September 20, 2007

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CORRECTIONS CORP OF
AMERICA [CXW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/18/2007

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP, General Counsel

NASHVILLE, TN 37215

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|----------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | | S | | 700 | D | \$ 26.63 | 60,878 D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | | S | | 398 | D | \$ 26.64 | 60,480 D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | | S | | 200 | D | \$ 26.65 | 60,280 D |
| CXW Common | 09/18/2007 | | S | | 300 | D | \$ 26.653 | 59,980 D |

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|------------------------|------------|---|-----|---|----------|--------|---|--|
| Stock | | | | | | | | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 802 | D | \$ 26.66 | 59,178 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.68 | 58,878 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$ 26.69 | 58,378 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 600 | D | \$ 26.7 | 57,778 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$ 26.72 | 57,578 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.73 | 57,278 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 26.76 | 57,178 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 400 | D | \$ 26.77 | 56,778 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$ 26.78 | 56,578 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.79 | 56,278 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.8 | 55,978 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 200 | D | \$ 26.81 | 55,778 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 700 | D | \$ 26.82 | 55,078 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | A | \$ 26.83 | 54,978 | D | |

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| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 900 | D | \$ 26.84 | 54,078 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.86 | 53,778 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 700 | D | \$ 26.87 | 53,078 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$ 26.88 | 52,578 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 500 | D | \$ 26.89 | 52,078 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.9 | 51,778 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 26.91 | 51,678 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 300 | D | \$ 26.98 | 51,378 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 26.99 | 51,278 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 27 | 51,178 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 27.01 | 51,078 | D |
| CXW Common Stock | 09/18/2007 | S | 100 | D | \$ 27.05 | 50,978 | D |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| PURYEAR G A IV 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD NASHVILLE, TN 37215 | EVP, General Counsel |

Signatures

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney
In Fact 09/20/2007

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Remarks:

Form 2 of 3 reporting partial exercise of employee stock option completely vested as of May 22, 2004 and sale of shares acquired

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