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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Grande Anthony L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD 05/17/2013

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

EVP, Chief Development Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NASHVILLE, TN 37215

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of	5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership In Form: B Direct (D) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
CXW Common Stock	05/17/2013		M	16,808	A	\$ 20.78	100,946 (1)	D		
CXW Common Stock	05/17/2013		M	823	A	\$ 17.57	101,769 (1)	D		
CXW Common Stock	05/17/2013		M	17,631	A	\$ 22.72	119,400 (1)	D		
CXW Common	05/17/2013		S	35,262	D	\$ 39.1455	84,138 (1)	D		

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Stock							
CXW Common Stock	05/20/2013	A(2)	4,138	A	\$ 0	88,276 <u>(3)</u>	D
CXW Common Stock	05/20/2013	J <u>(4)</u>	7,461	A	\$ 0	95,737 (3)	D
CXW Common Stock	05/22/2013	M	14,700	A	\$ 9.13	110,437 (3)	D
CXW Common Stock	05/22/2013	S	14,700	D	\$ 38.1579	95,737 (3)	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.78	05/20/2013		M		16,808	02/23/2011	02/23/2021	CXW Common Stock	16,808
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.57	05/20/2013		M		823	02/18/2010	02/18/2020	CXW Common Stock	823
Employee Stock Option	\$ 22.72	05/20/2013		M		17,631	02/20/2008	02/20/2018	CXW Common Stock	17,631

(right to buy)

Employee

Stock CXW
Option \$ 9.13 05/22/2013 M 14,700 02/18/2009 02/18/2019 Common

(right to Stock

buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

14,700

Grande Anthony L

10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD EVP, Chief Development Officer

NASHVILLE, TN 37215

Signatures

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney in Fact 05/22/2013

**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).
- (1) Includes 24154 restricted stock units, each representing a contingent right to receive one share of issuer common stock.
 - Represents dividend equivalent rights accrued on the reporting persons' underlying restricted stock units in conjunction with the issuer's payment of a special dividend on May 20, 2013 of \$6.63 per share of common stock. The dividend equivalent rights will be converted
- (2) into, and paid in the form of, shares of the issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis in connection with the vesting of the underlying restricted stock units to which the dividend equivalent rights relate and shall be subject to the same vesting and other restrictions as the original award.
- (3) Includes 31132 restricted stock units, each representing a contingent right to receive one share of issuer common stock.
- (4) On May 20, 2013, the Issuer paid a special dividend to stockholders of record on April 19, 2013. As a result of the special dividend, the reporting person received 7461 shares of common stock on May 20, 2013.

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