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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GROOM STEVE E**

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CORRECTIONS CORP OF

AMERICA [CXW]

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

12/01/2014

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, GENERAL COUNSEL & SECRETA

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

10 BURTON HILLS BLVD

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tal | ole I - Non- | Derivative S | Securi | ities Acquir | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|--|--------------|---------|---------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | | d of (I | D) | 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) |
| CXW Common Stock | 12/01/2014 | | M | 20,631 | A | \$ 22.34 | 83,639 | D | |
| CXW Common Stock | 12/01/2014 | | S | 20,631 | D | \$ 36.6051 | 63,008 | D | |

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of tiorDerivative 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) | \$ 22.34 | 12/01/2014 | | M | | 20,631 | 03/12/2012 | 03/12/2022 | CXW Common Stock | 20,631 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
|--------------------------------|---------------|

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GROOM STEVE E EVP, GENERAL 10 BURTON HILLS BLVD COUNSEL & SECRETA

Signatures

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney in Fact 12/03/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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