

PALMISANO BARTHOLOMEW F JR  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PALMISANO BARTHOLOMEW F JR**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 3850 N. CAUSEWAY  
 BOULEVARD, SUITE 800  
 (Street)

METAIRIE, LA 70002

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**OCA, INC. / DE / [OCA]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/05/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Operating Officer

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

**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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                                      |
| Common Stock                    | 11/05/2004                           |  | A                              |   | 78,250  | A  | \$ 0                                       |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 93,461  | D  |  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 707,016   | I  |  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | As co-trustee of trusts <sup>(1)</sup>     |

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. 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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Option to buy common stock                 | \$ 4.4   | 11/05/2004                           |  | A                              | 78,250  | <u>(2)</u> 11/05/2014                                    | Common Stock  | 78,250                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| PALMISANO BARTHOLOMEW F JR<br>3850 N. CAUSEWAY BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 800<br>METAIRIE, LA 70002 |               |           | Chief Operating Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Bartholomew F. Palminano, Jr. 01/07/2004  
 \*\*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) The 707,016 shares deemed beneficially owned by Mr. Palmisano are held by Mr. Palmisano as co-trustee of trusts for the benefit of Mr. Palmisano and his siblings. Mr. Palmisano disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.
- (2) The stock options vest and become exercisable ratably in 20% annual increments over a period of five years beginning on November 5, 2005.

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