PRANN JOHN R JR

Form 4

October 07, 2010

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

PRANN JO	OHN R JR	-	Symbol	FCTION:				Issuer	1 8	,
			CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				_	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify		
729 ASH S	TREET			06/2010				below) below)		
	(Street)			endment, D		al		6. Individual or Joi	nt/Group Filin	g(Check
			Filed(Mo	onth/Day/Yea	ar)		_	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Or		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of		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	10/06/2010			M	12,000	A	\$ 5.83	24,182	D	
CXW Common Stock	10/06/2010			M	12,000	A	\$ 7.13	36,182	D	
CXW Common Stock	10/06/2010			S	24,000	D	\$ 25.0011	12,182	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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	\$ 5.83	10/06/2010		M	12,000	05/16/2002	05/16/2012	CXW Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.13	10/06/2010		M	12,000	05/15/2003	05/15/2013	CXW Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PRANN JOHN R JR 729 ASH STREET DENVER, CO 80220	X					

Signatures

Scott Craddock, Attorney in Fact 10/07/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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