

Hininger Damon T
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 *

Â Hininger Damon T
(Last) (First) (Middle)

10 BURTON HILLS
BOULEVARD

(Street)

NASHVILLE,Â TNÂ 37215

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
09/01/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CORRECTIONS CORP OF AMERICA [CXW]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer ___ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Senior VP, Customer Relations

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

CXW Common Stock

11,480 ⁽¹⁾

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

Title

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:
Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/25/2002 ⁽²⁾	03/25/2008	CXW Common Stock	1,976	\$ 53.11	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	12/30/2005 ⁽³⁾	02/17/2014	CXW Common Stock	12,300	\$ 9.99	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	12/30/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	02/16/2015	CXW Common Stock	11,250	\$ 13.06	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	02/15/2007 ⁽⁵⁾	02/15/2016	CXW Common Stock	14,478	\$ 14.27	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	02/16/2008 ⁽⁶⁾	02/16/2017	CXW Common Stock	11,408	\$ 26.53	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hininger Damon T 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD NASHVILLE, TN 37215			Senior VP, Customer Relations	

Signatures

Scott L. Craddock, Attorney
In Fact 09/10/2007

 **Signature of Reporting Person Date _____

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Consists of restricted shares subject to performance based vesting.
- (2) Fully vested as of stated date.

Options vested on stated date but are subject to certain re-sale restrictions pursuant to a Resale Restriction Agreement between the
- (3) reporting person and the company, pursuant to which the remaining options will vest on the earlier of 02/17/2008 or termination of the reporting person's employment.

Options vested on stated date but are subject to certain re-sale restrictions pursuant to a Resale Restriction Agreement between the
- (4) reporting person and the company, pursuant to which the remaining options will vest (i) in equal increments on 02/16/2008 and 02/16/2009 or (ii) termination of the reporting person's employment, whichever is earlier.
- (5) 4826 options currently exercisable; the remaining 14478 remain subject to vesting in equal increments over the next three years on the anniversary date of the grant (2/15/2006).
- (6) Options vest over a four-year period on the anniversary date of the grant (02/16/2007) in equal increments.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ Index

ExhibitÂ 24Â --Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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