

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Maleh Paul A</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 200 CLARENDON STREET (Street) BOSTON MA 02116 (City) (State) (Zip)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC. [CRAI]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2016			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock							109,405	D		

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016		A		24,8204 ⁽²⁾		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	24,8204	\$0.00	3,268.8204	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016		A		24,4876 ⁽²⁾		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	24,4876	\$0.00	3,224.4876	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016		A		21,5223 ⁽²⁾		(5)	(5)	Common Stock	21,5223	\$0.00	3,771.5223	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016		A		37,4315 ⁽²⁾		(6)	(6)	Common Stock	37,4315	\$0.00	9,820.4315	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016		A		38,2618 ⁽²⁾		(7)	(7)	Common Stock	38,2618	\$0.00	10,038.2618	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.43							11/08/2010 ⁽⁸⁾	11/08/2017	Common Stock	19,909		19,909	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.91							11/14/2011 ⁽⁸⁾	11/14/2018	Common Stock	19,200		19,200	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.48							11/19/2013 ⁽⁸⁾	11/19/2020	Common Stock	25,946		25,946	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.97							11/20/2014 ⁽⁸⁾	11/20/2021	Common Stock	15,000		15,000	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.52							11/12/2015 ⁽⁸⁾	11/12/2022	Common Stock	26,086		26,086	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.96							11/14/2016 ⁽⁸⁾	11/14/2023	Common Stock	20,000		20,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock; vested RSUs are payable in the form of cash, shares of the Issuer's common stock or a combination thereof, except as otherwise indicated below. To the extent vested RSUs are paid in shares of the Issuer's common stock, such shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as possible after vesting, but in no event later than two and one-half months after the end of the year in which vesting occurs, subject to the collection of withholding taxes. Dividend equivalent rights accrue with respect to unvested RSUs in the form of additional RSUs ("Dividend Units") when and as dividends are paid on the Issuer's common stock, and Dividend Units vest on the same dates and in the same relative proportions as the RSUs on which they accrue.
- Amount reported represents Dividend Units accrued on the RSUs at \$36.59 per RSU on December 16, 2016. These Dividend Units are payable only in cash.
- The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 24,8204 Dividend Units, vest on November 19, 2017.
- The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 24,4876 Dividend Units, vest on November 19, 2017.
- The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 21,5223 Dividend Units, vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2017.
- The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 37,4315 Dividend Units, vest in three equal annual installments beginning on November 12, 2017.
- The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 38,2618 Dividend Units, vest in four equal annual installments beginning on November 14, 2017.

8. Date indicated is date of grant. Option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

Delia J. Makhouta, by power of attorney 12/20/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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