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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Maleh Paul A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.</u> [CRAI]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 CLARENDON STREET, T-33						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2012									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) President and CEO					
(Street) BOSTON MA 02116						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)												Person								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/D						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction D Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Securit Benefic		s Illy ollowing	Form: Direct		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	unt (A) or (D)		e	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 10/29/						2			F		4,976	D	\$1	7.01	61,	526		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)	ative Conversion Date Execution ity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date, Tran Cod		ransaction ode (Instr.		imber vative rities lired r osed) r. 3, 4 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Benefic Owned Followi Reporte Transac (Instr. 4		ly	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	Amor or Numl of Share	ber						
Restricted Stock Units	(1)								(2)	T	(2)	Common Stock	9,25	58		9,258		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.81								06/05/200	6	06/05/2013	Common Stock	1,8	80		1,880		D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.81								06/05/200	3	06/05/2013	Common Stock	4,62	20		4,620		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$32.26								11/25/200	5	05/10/2014	Common Stock	15,0	000		15,000)	D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$50.09								04/01/200	5	04/01/2015	Common Stock	10,4	92		10,492	2	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$50.09								04/01/200	5	04/01/2015	Common Stock	4,50	08		4,508		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.43								11/08/2010	(3)	11/08/2017	Common Stock	19,9	009		19,909)	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)								(2)		(2)	Common Stock	7,4	66		7,466		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.91								11/14/2011	(3)	11/14/2018	Common Stock	19,2	200		19,200)	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)								(4)		(4)	Common Stock	9,60	00		9,600		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock; vested restricted stock units are payable in the form of cash, shares of the Issuer's common stock or a combination thereof. To the extent vested restricted stock units 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.

2. The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on November 8, 2012.

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

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of attorney

11/02/2012

** 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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