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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*           Holmes Chad M           (Last)         (First)         (Middle)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.</u> [ CRAI ]     3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CFO, EVP and Treasurer					
200 CLAF	RENDON S		03/17/2017								CFC	), EVP	and Tr	easurer				
(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					
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)										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. Trans Date (Month/					saction 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				(D) (Instr. 3,		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Code	v	Amount	(D) Price		(Instr. 3 and						
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	action (Instr.	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)			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	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		Α		5.6887 <sup>(3)</sup>		(4)		(4)	Common Stock	5.6887	\$0	1,474.2845		D		
Resticted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		Α		1.5753 <sup>(3)</sup>		(5)		(5)	Common Stock	1.5753	\$ <mark>0</mark>	409.6783		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)(2)	03/17/2017		D			1.5534	(5)		(5)	Common Stock	1.5534	(2)	408.1249		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		A		1.5559 <sup>(3)</sup>		(6)		(6)	Common Stock	1.5559	\$0	404.6169		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)(2)	03/17/2017		D			1.5305	(6)		(6)	Common Stock	1.5305	(2)	403.0864		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		Α		5.4728 <sup>(3)</sup>		(7)		(7)	Common Stock	5.4728	\$0	1,420.546		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)(2)	03/17/2017		D			2.6898	(7)		(7)	Common Stock	2.6898	(2)	1,417.8562		D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		A		11.4163 <sup>(3)</sup>		(8)		(8)	Common Stock	11.4163	\$0 2,957		.6461	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2017		A		11.6692 <sup>(3)</sup>		(9)		(9)	Common Stock	11.6692	\$0 3,023.		.1477	D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.43							11/08/2010 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/08/2017	Common Stock	2,489	:		2,489 D			
Nonqualified Stock Opton (right to buy)	\$21.91							11/14/2011 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/14/2018	Common Stock	2,400	2,4		00	D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.48							11/19/2013 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/19/2020	Common Stock	3,243		3,243		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.97							11/20/2014 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/20/2021	Common Stock	5,625		5,625		D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.52							11/12/2015 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/12/2022	Common Stock	7,826	7,820		26	D		
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.96							11/14/2016 <sup>(10)</sup>		11/14/2023	Common Stock	6,000		6,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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 indicted 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.

2. Settlement of Dividend Units in cash in connection with the vesting of the underlying RSUs.

3. Amount reported represents Dividend Units accrued on the RSUs at \$36.13 on March 17, 2017. These Dividend Units are payable only in cash.

4. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 11.2845 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2017.

5. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 3.1249 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest on November 19, 2017.

6. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 3.0864 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest on November 19, 2017.

7. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 10.8562 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2017.

8. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 22.6461 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest in three equal annual installments beginning on November 12, 2017.
 9. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 23.1477 Dividend Units (excluding any Dividend Units disposed of as reported herein), vest in four equal annual installments beginning on November 14, 2017.
 10. 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. Makhlouta, by power of 03/21/2017

<u>attorney</u> \*\* 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).

\*\* 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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