FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					(or Sec	tion 30(h) of	the I	nvestmen	it Con	npany Act of	1940						
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Holmes Chad M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC. [CRAI]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 CLARENDON STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2016								CFO, EVP and Treasurer					
(Street) BOSTON MA 02116				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)													. S and Sy more than one reporting i croon					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I					Day/Year) if an		A. Deemed execution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disp Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and 5) Securities Beneficially Following Reported		6. Owr Form: (D) or (I) (Ins	Direct II Indirect E tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Amount (A) or (D) Pri		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)							
Common S	Stock														9,198		D	
			Table II - I								sed of, o onvertible			wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	C	ransa ode (I		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 of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 an	es Security	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	Amount or Number of Shares						
Resticted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016			A		3.1069 ⁽²⁾		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	3.1069	\$0.00	409.1069		D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016			A		3.0609 ⁽²⁾		(4)		(4)	Common Stock	3.0609	\$0.00	403.0609		D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016			A		8.0732 ⁽²⁾		(5)		(5)	Common Stock	8.0732	\$0.00	\$0.00 1,415.0732		D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016			A		11.2298 ⁽²⁾		(6)		(6)	Common Stock	11.2298	\$0.00	2,946.2298		D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/16/2016			Α		11.4785 ⁽²⁾		(7)		(7)	Common Stock	11.4785	\$0.00	3,011.4785		D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.43								11/08/20	10 ⁽⁸⁾	11/08/2017	Common Stock	2,489		2,489		D	
Nonqualified Stock Opton (right to buy)	\$21.91								11/14/20	11 ⁽⁸⁾	11/14/2018	Common Stock	2,400		2,400		D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.48								11/19/20	13 ⁽⁸⁾	11/19/2020	Common Stock	3,243		3,243		D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$30.97								11/20/20	14 ⁽⁸⁾	11/20/2021	Common Stock	5,625		5,62	5	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.52								11/12/20	15 ⁽⁸⁾	11/12/2022	Common Stock	7,826		7,82	6	D	
Nonqualified Stock Option (right	\$30.96								11/14/20	16 ⁽⁸⁾	11/14/2023	Common Stock	6,000		6,00	0	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. 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.
- 3. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 3.1069 Dividend Units, vest on November 19, 2017.
- $4.\ The\ RSUs,\ which\ include\ an\ aggregate\ of\ 3.0609\ Dividend\ Units,\ vest\ on\ November\ 19,\ 2017.$
- 5. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 8.0732 Dividend Units, vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2017.
- $6.\ The\ RSUs,\ which\ include\ an\ aggregate\ of\ 11.2298\ Dividend\ Units,\ vest\ in\ three\ equal\ annual\ installments\ beginning\ on\ November\ 12,\ 2017.$
- 7. The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 11.4785 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. Makhlouta, by power of <u>attorney</u> ** Signature of Reporting Person

12/20/2016

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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