Holmes Chad M Form 4 November 21, 2017

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Holmes Chad M

(First) (Middle)

200 CLARENDON STREET

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02116

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC. [CRAI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2017

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title below)

CFO, EVP and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Se	curitie	es Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/19/2017		M	412.2593	A	\$ 0	11,786.2593	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2017		D	6.2593	D	\$ 45.8	11,780	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2017		F	132	D	\$ 45.8	11,648	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2017		M	406.1669	A	\$0	12,054.1669	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2017		D	6.1669	D	\$ 45.8	12,048	D	

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Common Stock 11/19/2017 F 130 D \$ 11,918 D

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	FransactionDerivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	11/19/2017		M		412.2593	<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	11/19/2017		M		406.1669	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(1)						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(1)						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(1)						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	(1)						<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Opton (right to buy)	\$ 21.91						11/14/2011(8)	11/14/2018	Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.48						11/19/2013 <u>(8)</u>	11/19/2020	Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.97						11/20/2014(8)	11/20/2021	Common Stock
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.52						11/12/2015(8)	11/12/2022	Common Stock

Nonqualified Stock Option \$ 30.96 (right to buy)

11/14/2016(8) 11/14/2023

Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Holmes Chad M 200 CLARENDON STREET BOSTON, MA 02116

CFO, EVP and Treasurer

Signatures

Delia J. Makhlouta, by power of attorney

11/21/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

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

- (1) 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) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 6.2593 Dividend Units, vested on November 19, 2017.
- (3) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 6.1669 Dividend Units, vested on November 19, 2017.
- (4) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 34.6885 Dividend Units, vest in three equal annual installments beginning on November 14, 2018.
- (5) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 30.1712 Dividend Units, vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 12, 2018.
- (6) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 21.6919 Dividend Units, vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20,
- (7) The RSUs, which include an aggregate of 22.5515 Dividend Units, vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 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.

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