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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Maleh Paul A Issuer Symbol CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC. (Check all applicable) [CRAI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 200 CLARENDON STREET, T-33 02/06/2012 President and CEO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) V Amount (D) Price Common 02/06/2012 F 574 D 60,993 D 22.27 Stock

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.81					06/05/2006	06/05/2013	Common Stock	1,880
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.81					06/05/2003	06/05/2013	Common Stock	4,620
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.26					11/25/2005	05/10/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50.09					04/01/2005	04/01/2015	Common Stock	10,492
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 50.09					04/01/2005	04/01/2015	Common Stock	4,508
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.43					11/08/2010(1)	11/08/2017	Common Stock	19,909
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	7,466
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.91					11/14/2011(1)	11/14/2018	Common Stock	19,200
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	9,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Maleh Paul A	X		President and CEO				
200 CLARENDON STREET, T-33							

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Delia J. Makhlouta, by power of attorney

02/08/2012

**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).
- (1) Date indicated is date of grant. Option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) 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.
- The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning November 8, 2011. 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.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning November 14, 2012. 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

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