CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.

[CRAI]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2016

200 CLARENDON STREET

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

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title) _ Other (specify

CFO, EVP and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

below)

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3	osed of , 4 and (A) or	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/28/2016		M	2,088	A	\$ 24.11	9,575	D		
Common Stock	10/28/2016		S	2,088 (1)	D	\$ 29.1085	7,487	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)	Secu Acq (A) Disp (D)	urities uired or posed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of Sha
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.11	10/28/2016		M		2,088	10/28/2009(2)	10/28/2016	Common Stock	2,
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.43						11/08/2010(2)	11/08/2017	Common Stock	2,4
Nonqualified Stock Opton (right to buy)	\$ 21.91						11/14/2011(2)	11/14/2018	Common Stock	2,4
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.48						11/19/2013(2)	11/19/2020	Common Stock	3,2
Resticted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	8
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.97						11/20/2014(2)	11/20/2021	Common Stock	5,0
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>						(5)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	2,
Nonqualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.52						11/12/2015(2)	11/12/2022	Common Stock	7,
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	3,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Reporting Owners

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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 10/31/2016

**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) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (2) Date indicated is date of grant. Option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
 - 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
- (3) 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 two equal annual installments beginning on November 19, 2016.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on November 20, 2016.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on November 12, 2016.

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