FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## EMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MADISON DEARBORN PARTNERS  LLC  (Last) (First) (Middle)					<u>PA</u> ]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     PACKAGING CORP OF AMERICA     [ PKG     ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner  Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)				
THREE FIRST NATIONAL PLAZA SUITE 3800						01/25/2007													
(Street)	GO IL		50602		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(51		Zip) 	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	auired.	Dis	nosed o	f. or	Ben	eficia	ılly Own	ed			
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									Code	v	Amount	0	A) or D)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 01/25/					/2007		J <sup>(1)</sup>		571,89	71,894 I		\$(	) 11,	,773,010	I	Through PCA Holdings LLC <sup>(2)(3)</sup>			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value 01/25/					/2007	2007		J <sup>(4)</sup>		5,822		A	\$(	) [	10,288	D			
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		Reporting Person*  ARBORN PA	RTNER	S LLC	· <u>·</u>														
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(Street)	60	IL	6060	)2															
(City)		(State)	(Zip)																
1. Name ar	nd Address of	Reporting Person*																	

(City) **Explanation of Responses:** 

(Last)

(Street) **CHICAGO** 

**SUITE 3800** 

MADISON DEARBORN PARTNERS III LP

(Middle)

60602

(Zip)

(First)

THREE FIRST NATIONAL PLAZA

- 1. Reflects the continuation of a pro rata distribution of shares of common stock of the issuer by Madison Dearborn Partners III, L.P. ("MDP III"), the record and direct beneficial owner of the shares, to its partners, including Madison Dearborn Partners, LLC ("MDP LLC"), the sole general partner of MDP III, on January 25, 2007. The pro rata distribution was commenced by PCA Holdings LLC ("Holdings") on December 7, 2006, as previously reported by MDP LLC.
- 2. Holdings is the record and direct beneficial owner of 11,773,010 shares. The shares held by Holdings may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Madison Dearborn Capital Partners III, L.P. ("MDCP III"), the managing member of Holdings, a fund affiliated with MDCP III, MDP III, the sole general partner of MDCP III and the fund affiliated with MDCP III, and MDP LLC.
- 3. MDP LLC, MDP III, MDCP III and the fund affiliated with MDCP III each hereby disclaims any beneficial ownership of any shares directly held by Holdings, except to the extent of such reporting person's pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 4. Consists of shares of common stock of the issuer received by MDP LLC as a result of the distribution by MDP III to its partners.

/s/ Madison Dearborn Partners,

LLC by Mark Tresnowski, its 01/29/2007

**Managing Director** 

/s/ Madison Dearborn Partners

III, L.P. by Madison Dearborn

<u>Partners, LLC, its General</u> <u>Partner, by Mark Tresnowski,</u> 01/29/2007

its Managing Director

\*\* 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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