## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CALHOUN STEPHEN T  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1955 WEST FIELD COURT						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PACKAGING CORP OF AMERICA PKG  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2012									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title below) below)  VP Human Resources				
(Street) LAKE F (City)	AKE FOREST IL 60045					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	,				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye					tion	2A. Do Execu	eeme	d	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F		unt of ies ially Following	Forn (D) c	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 05/01/201							.2				6,800	A	\$21	.27	77	7,731		D	
Common Stock 05/01/201						2			S		6,800	D	\$29.2	514(1)	70	),931		D	
Common Stock															6,	6,198		Ι .	by 401(k) plan
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		if any	eemed tion Date, n/Day/Year)		ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e Exerc tion Da h/Day/\		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Ov Fo Dii or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share	ber					
Option (right to buy)	\$21.27	05/01/2012			M			6,800	(2	2)	06/29/2012	Common	6,80	00	\$0.00	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The price listed is the weighted average sale price. The actual sales prices for these shares ranged between \$29.19 and \$29.28. The reporting person undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request.
- 2. This option was fully vested.

## Remarks:

Kent A. Pflederer, attorney in

05/02/2012

**fact** 

\*\* 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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