

CoreCivic, Inc.  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**GARFINKLE DAVID**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O CORECIVIC, INC., 10  
BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD**

(Street)

**NASHVILLE, TN 37215**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CoreCivic, Inc. [CXW]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**04/17/2017**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**EVP & Chief Financial Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/17/2017		M		10,000 (1)	A	\$ 22.72 (1)
Common Stock	04/17/2017		S		10,000	D	\$ 33.2176

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.72 <u>(1)</u>	04/17/2017		S	4,002 <u>(1)</u>	02/20/2009 02/20/2018	02/20/2018	Common Stock	4,002
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.72 <u>(1)</u>	04/17/2017		S	4,002 <u>(1)</u>	02/20/2010 02/20/2018	02/20/2018	Common Stock	4,002
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.72 <u>(1)</u>	04/17/2017		S	1,996 <u>(1)</u>	02/20/2011 02/20/2018	02/20/2018	Common Stock	1,996

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GARFINKLE DAVID C/O CORECIVIC, INC. 10 BURTON HILLS BOULEVARD NASHVILLE, TN 37215			EVP & Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/Cameron Hopewell,  
Attorney-in-Fact

04/17/2017

\*\*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).
- (1) As adjusted to reflect an increase in the number of shares underlying the option and a decrease in the per share exercise price of such option as a result of the special dividend paid in connection with our REIT conversion to stockholders of record on April 19, 2013.

### Remarks:

Exercise of employee stock options and sale of stock acquired upon exercise pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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