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* Carter Charles J. (Last) (First) (Middle) 1955 W. FIELD CT. (Street)					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PACKAGING CORP OF AMERICA PKG 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/28/2017 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director					
LAKE FOREST IL 60045 (City) (State) (Zip)															X 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. Trans Date (Month/				saction /Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					(A) or 3, 4 a	nd Secu Bene	nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price	Trans	saction(s) 3 and 4)		(iiisti. 4)				
Common Stock	02/28	28/2017				A ⁽¹⁾		3,250)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark> .	00	27,766	D					
Common Stock															3,066	I	Through 401(k) plan		
Common Stock															100	I	By trust, for benefit of spouse ⁽²⁾		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Conversion Date	saction n/Day/Year)	if any	Deemed 4. ecution Date, Tra			action (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date		ble and 7. Title and Amount of		str. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber res						

Explanation of Responses:

1. On February 28, 2017, the Section 162(m) subcommittee of the compensation committee of the registrant's board of directors certified attainment of the performance measure under the performance units awarded to reporting person on June 24, 2013. Performance was achieved at the 100% level, which will result in the reported number of shares being paid out on June 24, 2017, the vesting date of the units, subject to continued service by the reporting person through such date. The committee has the discretion to award additional shares up to 20% of the number of units on or around the vesting date.

Remarks:

Kent A. Pflederer, attorney in

03/01/2017

<u>fact</u>

** 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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^{2.} Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.