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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 *
 Lowenstein Arnold J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
 [CRAI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 200 CLARENDON STREET, T-33
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/24/2009

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP, Chief Strategy Officer

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/24/2009		A	2,511 (1) A \$ 0	42,553	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)

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(1) The shares vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

(2) Date indicated is date of grant. The option vests over four years as follows: 5,208 shares vest on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant and 6,160 shares vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.

(3) Date indicated is date of grant. The option vests over four years as follows: 4,625 shares vest on each of the first and second anniversaries of the date of grant; 2,502 shares vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant and 241 shares vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.

(4) Date indicated is date of grant. 2,123 shares vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant and 4,384 shares vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.

(5) Date indicated is date of grant. 1,250 shares vest on each of the first and second anniversaries of the date of grant.

(6) Date indicated is date of grant. 1,250 shares vest on each of the third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant.

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