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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PICCOLO C A

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Middle)

(Zip)

CVS CAREMARK CORP [CVS]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2012

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

ONE CVS DRIVE

(Last)

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securiton(A) or Di		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D) or	Beneficial Ownership
		((======================================				Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M	33,726	A	\$ 27.12	230,967	D	
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M	33,739	A	\$ 20.23	264,706	D	
Common Stock	05/07/2012		F <u>(1)</u>	35,683	D	\$ 45.32	229,023	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)

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)	TransactionDerivative Code Securities		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	
Stock Option	\$ 27.12	05/07/2012		M	33,726	(2)	03/01/2016	Common Stock	33,726	
Stock Option	\$ 20.23	05/07/2012		M	33,739	<u>(2)</u>	03/01/2015	Common Stock	33,739	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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ONE CVS DRIVE X
WOONSOCKET, RI 02895-

Signatures

/s/ C.A.

LancePiccolo 05/09/2012

**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) Surrender of shares in payment of option strike price and estimated taxes due.
- Option acquired in connection with the merger of Caremark Rx, Inc. with a subsidiary of CVS Corporation and the conversion of Caremark Rx, Inc. stock option to CVS Caremark Corporation stock option. Option is 100% exercisable as of the date of the merger.

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