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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

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

ONE CVS DRIVE

(Middle)

(Zip)

CVS CAREMARK CORP [CVS]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

05/07/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Beneficially Form: Directly Owned (D) or	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Et Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 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(1)	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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
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	(2)	03/01/2015	Common Stock	33,739

Reporting Owners

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

PICCOLO C A ONE CVS DRIVE X WOONSOCKET, RI 02895-

Signatures

/s/ C.A.

LancePiccolo 05/09/2012 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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 **(2)** 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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