

CASH AMERICA INTERNATIONAL INC  
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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 \*  
**BESSANT THOMAS A JR**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CASH AMERICA INTERNATIONAL INC [CSH]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**1600 W. 7TH STREET**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/27/2016**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Exec. VP - CFO**

**FORT WORTH, TX 76102**

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.10	01/27/2016		A		14,204 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$ 0
Common Stock, par value \$.10					11,567.46 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	
Common Stock, par value \$.10					393	I	
							Benefit Plan
							Spouse

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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BESSANT THOMAS A JR 1600 W. 7TH STREET FORT WORTH, TX 76102			Exec. VP - CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas A. Bessant, Jr. 01/28/2016

\*\*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) Reflects a grant of restricted stock units that will vest in 25% increments on each of January 31, 2017, 2018, 2019, and 2020.  
Not included in this amount are 15,000 and 11,838 performance-based restricted stock units, of which from 0% to 100% are eligible to vest on January 1, 2017 and January 1, 2019, respectively, subject to the Issuer's achievement of certain financial goals over a three-year period and certification by the Management Development and Compensation Committee.
- (3) Reflects an adjustment for dividends paid to the Reporting Person pursuant to the dividend reinvestment provisions of the Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

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