SMITH JEAN Form 4

December 19, 2017

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SMITH JEAN

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

130 EAST 12TH STREET,#5B

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COVANTA HOLDING CORP [CVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(City)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Issuer

below)

5. Amount of

Securities

Following

Owned

Beneficially

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities**

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	() (I) (I)	A) or	or osed of r. 3, 4,				(Inst	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	12/15/2017		A	1	1,333		<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock, \$.10 par value	1,333	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SMITH JEAN							
130 EAST 12TH STREET,#5B	X						
NEW YORK, NY 10003							

Signatures

/s/ Jean Smith 12/15/2017

**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) The restricted stock units were issued to the reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's 2014 Equity Compensation Plan in lieu of quarterly retainer fees of \$20,000 for the period beginning October 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2017.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest immediately. The vested restricted stock units will convert into shares of common stock on the date of the reporting person's separation from service from the Board of Directors.

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