FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* McGlinn John F.							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Capitala Finance Corp. [CPTA]									Checl	k all app Direc			10% (Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CAPITALA FINANCE CORP. 4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 360							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/18/2014										X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) COO, Secretary and Treasurer				
(Street) CHARLOTTE NC 28209 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Indiv ine) X	-/					
			Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Secu	uritie	s Acq	uired	, Dis	posed (of,	or Be	nefici	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Day/Year) Ex		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				l and Secu Bene		ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transa (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(111311. 4)
Common Stock																	125,000				via Capitala Restricted Shares I, LLC
Common Stock 12/18/2							2014			P		1,900		A	\$18	.45 6		0,971		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Nui of Derive Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5	ative rities ired osed	6. Date E Expiration (Month/I	on Dat	ear)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Richard G. Wheelahan, III, attorney-in-fact

12/18/2014

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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