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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).	

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Carroll Larry W.		1*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Capitala Finance Corp. [ CPTA ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Caron Lany w.</u>				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) C/O CAPITALA	(First) FINANCE CORF	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/23/2014		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 360		E 360	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) CHARLOTTE	NC	28209		Line) X	Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than C Person	5			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

### 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)						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11511 4)
Common Stock	12/23/2014		Р		4,700	Α	<b>\$18.19</b>	50,000	D	

 
 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	posed (D) str. 3, 4		Expiration Date A (Month/Day/Year) S L S			Date Amount of		mount of ecurities Security (Instr. 5) erivative ecurity (Instr. 3		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	and 5 (A)	,) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

#### <u>/s/ Richard G. Wheelahan, III,</u> <u>attorney-in-fact</u>

<u>12/24/2014</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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