Hughes Michael R Form 4 May 21, 2012

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Add Hughes Micha	lress of Reporting Person ** ael R	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DYNEX CAPITAL INC [DX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)				
C/O DYNEX	CAPITAL, INC., 499 K DRIVE, SUITE 100	(Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (give title below) Other (specify below)				
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
GLEN ALLE	N, VA 23060	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities A	Acquired, Dispos	sed of, or Bene	eficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) c l of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/18/2012		Code V	Amount 5,000 (1)	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 66,552	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				_			19,230	I	By IRA
Common Stock							6,000	I	By self as custodian for minor son
Common Stock							6,000	I	By self as custodian for minor daughter
							6,200	I	

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By spouse's Common Stock **IRA** Common By 32,700 Stock mother-in-law

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. stionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit. Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other Hughes Michael R X

C/O DYNEX CAPITAL, INC. 4991 LAKE BROOK DRIVE, SUITE 100 GLEN ALLEN, VA 23060

Signatures

Stephen J. Benedetti, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael R. 05/21/2012 Hughes

> **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) Restricted stock award. The shares vest May 17, 2013.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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