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Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address Dowty Michael		*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Global Cash Access Holdings, Inc. [GCA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2013	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP
3525 EAST POST ROAD, SUITE #120		120	01/01/2015	211
(Street) LAS VEGAS, NV 89120			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) XForm Filed by One Reporting PersonForm Filed by More than One Reporting Person
(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)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	01/07/2013		<u>F</u>		341	D	\$8.17	4,523 ^(<u>4</u>)	D		
Common Stock	01/08/2013		<u>M</u>		6,250 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$2.2	10,773	D		
Common Stock	01/08/2013		<u>M</u>		6,250 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$3.41	17,023	D		
Common Stock	01/08/2013		<u>S</u>		6,250 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$8.1763 ⁽⁵⁾	10,773	D		
Common Stock	01/08/2013		<u>S</u>		6,250 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$8.1768 ^(<u>5</u>)	4,523	D		
Common Stock	01/08/2013		<u>S</u>		2,232 (1)	D	\$8.13	2,291	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(c.g., para, bana, warranta, optiona, convertible accurracy)															
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	(i) (instr. 4)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.2	01/08/2013		<u>M</u>			6,250 ⁽¹⁾	02/24/2010 (2)	02/24/2019	Common Stock	6,250	\$ 0	279,574	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These transactions were effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person effective as of March 23, 2012.
- 2. 1/4th of the shares underlying the option grant vested on the one year anniversary date of the grant (February 24, 2010), and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant shall vest on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant.
- 3. 1/4th of the shares underlying the option grant vested on the one year anniversary date of the grant (March 1, 2012), and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant shall vest on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant.
- 4. Includes shares subject to a Restricted Stock Award vesting over a period of 4 years.
- 5. The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions. The reporting person undertakes to provide Global Cash Access Holdings, Inc., any security holder of Global Cash Access Holdings, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

Signatures

sMichael S. Dowty by David Johnson, Attorney-in-Fact

01/09/2013

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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