

GLOBAL CASH ACCESS HOLDINGS, INC.

Reported by **DOWTY MICHAEL SCOTT**

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol GCA

SIC Code 6199 - Finance Services

Industry Business Services

Sector Services

Fiscal Year 12/31





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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
, and a second					Global Cash Access Holdings, Inc. [GCA]							Inc.	Directo	or	_	10% O	wner	
(Last)	(First)	First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							/YYY	below)					
3525 EAST POST ROAD, SUITE #120						3/9/2012							EVP					
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
LAS VEGAS, NV 89120 (City) (State) (Zip)														_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	ole I - Nor	ı-Deri	ivati	ve Securi	ities A	cq	quired,	Dis	pose	d of,	or Beneficially	y Owned				
1			2. Tr Date	;	Code or Disposed (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 a		sed o	of (D) od 5) Owne (Instr			. Amount of Securities Beneficially lyned Following Reported Transaction(s) instr. 3 and 4)			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock				3/9/	2012		Code S	V	Amount 16733	(D) D	\$6.581	ice 16 ⁽¹⁾	1	12708		4) D		
Tab	ole II - De	rivati	ive Securi	ities B	enef	icially O	wned	(4	e.g. , pu	ıts,	calls,	, war	rants, options,	, convert	ible secur	ities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Deemed Execution	4. Frans. Code (Instr. 8)	Deri Secu Acqu Disp	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		and Expiration Date				ities Ur ative So 3 and	4)	ing Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sab	ole Date	ttion		Amour Shares	nt or Number of		(s) (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

(1) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions. The reporting person undertakes to provide to 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.

Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Dowty Michael Scott 3525 EAST POST ROAD, SUITE #120			EVP				
LAS VEGAS, NV 89120							

Signatures

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

3/13/2012

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).
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