#### COVANTA HOLDING CORP

Form 4

September 26, 2016

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Pletka Danielle

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COVANTA HOLDING CORP

[CVA]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

09/22/2016

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

1789 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, NW

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

below)

WASHINGTON, DC 20036

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)			(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (	` /	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/22/2016		A	2,775		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,775	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Pletka Danielle 1789 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, NW X WASHINGTON, DC 20036

# **Signatures**

/s/ Danielle 09/26/2016 Pletka

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.
- The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments as follows: 925 restricted stock units vest on September 22, 2016; 925 restricted (2) stock units vest on May 5, 2017; and 925 restricted stock units vest on May 5, 2018. The vested restricted stock units will convert into shares of common stock on the date of reporting person's separation from service from the Board of Directors.

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