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THIS INFORMATION STATEMENT IS BEING PROVIDED TO
YOU BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF PERVASIP CORP.
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PERVASIP CORP.
75 South Broadway, Suite 400
White Plains, New York
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INFORMATION STATEMENT
(Definitive)
December 26, 2012
GENERAL INFORMATION
To the Holders of Common Stock of Pervasip Corp:
This Information Statement has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and is being furnished, pursuant to Section 14C of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), to the holders (the "Stockholders") of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"), of Pervasip Corp, a New York corporation (the "Company") to notify the Stockholders that on December 5, 2012, the Company received a unanimous
corporation (the "Company"), to notify the Stockholders that on December 5, 2012, the Company received a unanimous

written consent in lieu of a meeting of the holders of Series C Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Series C Preferred"). Each share of Series C Preferred has the equivalent of 6,187,240 votes of Common Stock (based upon the outstanding number of shares of Common Stock issued at the time hereof). Currently, there are two holders of

Series C Preferred (collectively, the "Series C Stockholders" or the "Majority Stockholders"), together holding fifty-one (51) shares of Series C Preferred, resulting in the Series C Stockholders holding in the aggregate approximately 50.9989% of the total voting power of all issued and outstanding voting capital of the Company. The Series C Stockholders authorized the following:

The increase in the number of authorized shares of Common Stock from four hundred million (400,000,000) shares of Common Stock to eight hundred million (800,000,000) shares of Common Stock (the "Authorized Share Increase").

On December 5, 2012, the Board approved the Authorized Share Increase and recommended to the Majority Stockholders that they approve the Authorized Share Increase. On December 5, 2012, the Majority Stockholders approved the Authorized Share Increase by written consent in lieu of a meeting in accordance with New York law. Accordingly, your consent is not required and is not being solicited in connection with the approval of the Actions.

We will mail the Notice of Stockholder Action by Written Consent to the Stockholders on or about December 24, 2012.

### WE ARE NOT ASKING YOU FOR A PROXY AND YOU ARE REQUESTED NOT TO SEND A PROXY.

The Board believes the Authorized Share Increase is necessary and advisable in order to maintain the Company's financing and capital raising ability and to generally maintain our flexibility in today's competitive and rapidly changing environment.

Accordingly, it is the Board's opinion that the Authorized Share Increase would better position the Company to attract potential business candidates and provide the Stockholders a greater potential return.

#### INTRODUCTION

New York law provides that the written consent of the holders of outstanding shares of voting capital stock having not less than the minimum number of votes which would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all shares entitled to vote thereon were present and voted can approve an action in lieu of conducting a special stockholders' meeting convened for the specific purpose of such action. On December 5, 2012, the Board approved the Authorized Share Increase and recommended to the Majority Stockholders that they approve the Authorized Share Increase by written consent in lieu of a meeting in accordance with New York law.

In accordance with the foregoing, we will mail the Notice of Stockholder Action by Written Consent on or about December 26, 2012.

This Information Statement contains a brief summary of the material aspects of the Actions approved by the Board of Pervasip Corp. (the "Company," "we," "our," or "us") and the holders of Series C Preferred Stock (the "Series C Preferred"), which constitute a majority of the voting capital stock of the Company.

### Series C Preferred

By unanimous written consent of the Board (as permitted under New York law), the number, designation, rights, preferences and privileges of the Series C Preferred were established by the Board (as is permitted under New York law and by the Amended Certificate of Incorporation of the Company). The designation, rights, preferences and privileges that the Board established for the Series C Preferred is set forth in a Certificate of Designation that was filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 28, 2011. Among other things, the Certificate of Designation provides that each one share of Series C Preferred has voting rights equal to (x) 0.019607 *multiplied by* the total issued and outstanding Common Stock eligible to vote at the time of the respective vote (the "Numerator"), *divided by* (y) 0.49, *minus* (z) the Numerator.

By unanimous written consent of the Board, the Board issued an aggregate of fifty one (51) shares of Series C Preferred to two individuals (together, the "Series C Stockholders"). As a result of the voting rights granted to the Series C Preferred, the Series C Stockholders hold in the aggregate approximately 50.9989% of the total voting power of all issued and outstanding voting capital of the Company.

As of December 5, 2012, there were issued and outstanding (i) 303,187,814 shares of our Common Stock, (ii) zero shares of our Series A Preferred Stock, (iii) zero shares of our Series B Preferred Stock and (iv) fifty-one (51) shares of our Series C Preferred. Based on the foregoing, the total aggregate amount of votes entitled to vote regarding the approval of the Authorized Share Increase approved by the Board is 618,737,054 (the sum of the votes represented by the issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock and Series C Preferred). Pursuant to New York law, at least a majority of the voting equity of the Company, or at least 309,368,528 votes, are required to approve the Actions by written consent. The Series C Stockholders, which hold in the aggregate fifty one (51) shares of Series C Preferred, or approximately 50.9989% of the voting equity of the Company, have voted in favor of the Actions, thereby satisfying the requirement under New York law that at least a majority of the voting equity vote in favor of a corporate action by written consent.

The following table sets forth the name of the Series C Stockholders, the number of shares of Series C Preferred held by each Series C Stockholder, the total number of votes that the Series C Stockholders voted in favor of the Actions and the percentage of the issued and outstanding voting equity of the Company that voted in favor thereof.

Name of Series (	, Number of Shares o	of Number of Votes held by such Series C	Number of Votes that	Percentage of the Voting
Stockholder		•		Equity that Voted in favor
	held	Stockholder	Actions	of the Actions
Paul H. Riss	48	296,987,520	296,987,520	48%
Mark Richards	3	18,561,720	18,561,720	3%

#### **ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN**

The Authorized Share Increase will become effective on the date that we file the Certificate of Amendment to the Amended Certificate of Incorporation of the Company (the "Amendment") with the Secretary of State of the State of New York. We intend to file the Amendment with the Secretary of State of the State of New York promptly after the twentieth (20th) day following the date on which this Information Statement is mailed to the Stockholders.

### INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF AUTHORIZED SHARES

### OF COMMON STOCK AND PREFERRED STOCK

### **GENERAL**

The number of authorized shares of our Common Stock will be increased from four hundred million (400,000,000) shares to eight hundred million (800,000,000) shares of Common Stock (the "Authorized Share Increase").

#### PURPOSE AND EFFECT OF INCREASING THE NUMBER OF AUTHORIZED SHARES

The Board believes the Authorized Share Increase is necessary and advisable in order to maintain our financing and capital raising ability and to generally maintain our flexibility in today's competitive and rapidly changing environment. The additional four hundred million (400,000,000) shares of Common Stock so authorized will be available for issuance by the Board for stock splits or stock dividends, acquisitions, raising additional capital, stock options or other corporate purposes. The additional shares of Common Stock could be used for potential strategic transactions, including, among other things, acquisitions, strategic partnerships, joint ventures, restructurings, business combinations and investments, although there are no immediate plans to do so. Assurances cannot be provided that any such transactions will be consummated on favorable terms or at all, that they will enhance stockholder value or

that they will not adversely affect the Company's business or the trading price of the Common Stock. Other than issuances pursuant to employee benefit plans and currently outstanding stock options, exercisable warrants and convertible debentures, the Board has no current plans to issue any of the additional shares of Common Stock that would be authorized by this proposal. The Company does not anticipate that it would seek authorization from the stockholders for issuance of such additional shares unless required by applicable law or regulations.

The increase in the authorized number of shares of Common Stock and any subsequent issuance of such shares could have the effect of delaying or preventing a change in control of the Company without further action by the stockholders. Shares of authorized and unissued Common Stock could (within the limits imposed by applicable law and stock exchange regulations) be issued in one or more transactions, which would make a change in control of the Company more difficult, and therefore less likely. Any such issuance of the additional shares of Common Stock could have the effect of diluting the earnings per share and book value per share of outstanding shares of Common Stock, and such additional shares could be used to dilute the stock ownership or voting rights of a person seeking to obtain control of the Company. The Board is not aware of any attempt to take control of the Company and has not presented this proposal with the intention that the increase in the number of authorized shares of Common stock be used as a type of antitakeover device. Any additional Common Stock, when issued, would have the same rights and preferences as the shares of Common Stock presently outstanding.

#### SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

The following tables set forth certain information regarding the beneficial ownership of our Common Stock as of December 5, 2012 of (i) each person known to us to beneficially own more than 10% of Common Stock, (ii) our directors, (iii) each named executive officer and (iv) all directors and named executive officers as a group. As of December 5, 2012, there were a total of 303,187,814 shares of Common Stock outstanding. Each share of Common Stock is entitled to one vote on matters on which holders of voting stock of the Company are eligible to vote. The column entitled "Percentage of Total Voting Stock" shows the percentage of total voting stock beneficially owned by each listed party.

The number of shares beneficially owned is determined under the rules promulgated by the SEC, and the information is not necessarily indicative of beneficial ownership for any other purpose. Under those rules, beneficial ownership includes any shares as to which a person or entity has sole or shared voting power or investment power *plus* any shares which such person or entity has the right to acquire within sixty (60) days of December 5, 2012 through the exercise or conversion of any stock option, convertible security, warrant or other right. Unless otherwise indicated, each person or entity named in the table has sole voting power and investment power (or shares such power with that person's spouse) with respect to all shares of capital stock listed as owned by that person or entity.

Number of Shares of	Percent of Shares	Number of Shares	Percent of Shares
Common			
Stock	of	of Series C	of Series C
Beneficially	Common		

	Owned	Stock	Beneficially Owned		Stock		Preferred Stock	
							Beneficially	
G3 Connect, LLC				Own	cu (7)	Owned		
321 Newark Street 3rd Floor	96,947,250 (1	1) 26.17	%					
Hoboken, NJ 07030								
Paul H. Riss								
Pervasip Corp.	16,605,199 (2	2) 5.35	%	48	(8)	94.12	%	
75 South Broadway, Suite 400								
White Plains, New York 10601								
Mark Richards	6,374,333 (3	3) 2.00	%	3	(9)	5.88	%	
75 South Broadway, Suite 400	0,374,333 (3	2.09	70	3	(9)	3.00	70	
White Plains, New York 10601								
Greg M. Cooper								
Cooper, Niemann & Co., CPAs, LLP	171,667 (4	1) *						
PO Box 190								
Mongaup Valley, New York 12762								
Scott Widham	167,667 (5	5) *						
9865 Litzsinger Road	107,007	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,						
St Louis, Missouri 63124								
	167,667 (6	6) *						
Cherian Mathai								

White Plains, New York 10601

All directors and executive officers as a group (five individuals)

\*Less than 1%.

(1) Includes 67,260,000 shares of common stock subject to debt that is presently convertible.

(2) Includes 7,239,333 shares of common stock subject to warrants that are presently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days after December 5, 2012.

(3) Includes 1,550,000 shares of common stock subject to options and warrants that are presently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days after December 5, 2012.

- (5) Includes 167,667 shares of common stock subject to options that are presently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days after December 5, 2012.
- (6) Includes 167,667 shares of common stock subject to options that are presently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days after December 5, 2012.
- Each one share of Series C Preferred has voting rights equal to (x) 0.019607 *multiplied by* the total issued and (7)outstanding Common Stock eligible to vote at the time of the respective vote (the "Numerator"), *divided by* (y) 0.49, *minus* (z) the Numerator.
- (8) Mr. Paul Riss owns 48 shares of Series C Preferred Stock, which is representative of 296,987,520 shares solely for voting purposes.
- (9) Mr. Mark Richards owns 3 shares of Series C Preferred Stock, which is representative of 18,561,720 shares solely for voting purposes.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

We are subject to the disclosure requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and in accordance therewith, file reports, information statements and other information, including annual and quarterly reports on Form 10-K and 10-Q, respectively, with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). Reports and other information filed by the Company can be inspected and copied at the public reference facilities maintained by the SEC at Room 1024, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549. Copies of such material can also be obtained upon written request addressed to the SEC, Public Reference Section, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549 at prescribed rates. In addition, the SEC maintains a web site on the Internet (http://www.sec.gov) that contains reports, information statements and other information regarding issuers that file electronically with the SEC through the Electronic Data Gathering, Analysis and Retrieval System.

The following documents, as filed with the SEC by the Company, are incorporated herein by reference:

- (1) Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended November 30, 2011;
- Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for the three months ended February 29, 2012, May 31, 2012 and August 31, 2012, respectively; and
- (3) Current Reports on Form 8-K, as filed with the SEC on May 25, 2012, August 24, 2012, October 9, 2012 and November 20, 2012, respectively.

You may request a copy of these filings, at no cost, by writing Pervasip Corp. at 75 South Broadway, Suite 400, White Plains, New York 10601 or telephoning the Company at (914) 620-1500. Any statement contained in a document that is incorporated by reference will be modified or superseded for all purposes to the extent that a statement contained in this Information Statement (or in any other document that is subsequently filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference) modifies or is contrary to such previous statement. Any statement so modified or superseded will not be deemed a part of this Information Statement except as so modified or superseded.

## DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS TO SECURITY HOLDERS SHARING AN ADDRESS

If hard copies of the materials are requested, we will send only one Information Statement and other corporate mailings to stockholders who share a single address unless we received contrary instructions from any stockholder at that address. This practice, known as "householding," is designed to reduce our printing and postage costs. However, the

Company will deliver promptly upon written or oral request a separate copy of the Information Statement to a stockholder at a shared address to which a single copy of the Information Statement was delivered. You may make such a written or oral request by (a) sending a written notification stating (i) your name, (ii) your shared address and (iii) the address to which the Company should direct the additional copy of the Information Statement, to the Company at 75 South Broadway, Suite 400, White Plains, New York 10601, telephone: (914) 620-1500.

If multiple stockholders sharing an address have received one copy of this Information Statement or any other corporate mailing and would prefer the Company to mail each stockholder a separate copy of future mailings, you may mail notification to, or call the Company at, its principal executive offices. Additionally, if current stockholders with a shared address received multiple copies of this Information Statement or other corporate mailings and would prefer the Company to mail one copy of future mailings to stockholders at the shared address, notification of such request may also be made by mail or telephone to the Company's principal executive offices.

This

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Statement is

provided to

the holders

of Common

Stock of the

Company

only for

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purposes in

connection

with the

Actions,

pursuant to

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accordance

with Rule

14c-2 of the

Exchange

Act. Please

carefully

read this

Information

Statement.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Date: December 26, 2012 Pervasip Corporation

By: /s/ Paul Riss Paul Riss

Chief Executive Officer

every obligation of the type referred to in the first through third bullets above of another person the payment of which such person has guaranteed or is responsible or liable for, directly or indirectly, as obligor, guarantor or otherwise (but only, in the case of this clause, to the extent such person has guaranteed or is responsible or liable for such obligations).

*Lien* means, with respect to any property or assets, any mortgage or deed of trust, pledge, hypothecation, assignment, security interest, lien, encumbrance or other security arrangement of any kind or nature whatsoever on or with respect to such property or assets (including any conditional sale or other title retention agreement having substantially the same economic effect as any of the foregoing).

Net Available Proceeds from any Sale and Leaseback Transaction by any person means cash or readily marketable cash equivalents received (including by way of sale or discounting of a note, installment receivable or other receivable, but excluding any other consideration received in the form of assumption by the acquiree of Indebtedness or obligations relating to the properties or assets that are the subject of such Sale and Leaseback Transaction or received in any other noncash form) therefrom by such person, net of (a) all legal, title and recording tax expenses, commissions and other fees and expenses incurred and all Federal, state, provincial, foreign and local taxes required to be accrued as a liability as a consequence of such Sale and Leaseback Transaction; (b) all payments made by such person or its Subsidiaries on any Indebtedness which is secured in whole or in part by any such properties and assets in accordance with the terms of any Lien upon or with respect to any such properties and assets or which must, by the terms of such Lien, or in order to obtain a necessary consent to such Sale and Leaseback Transaction or by applicable law, be repaid out of the proceeds from such Sale and Leaseback Transaction; and (c) all distributions and other payments made to minority interest holders in Subsidiaries of such person or joint ventures as a result of such Sale and Leaseback Transaction.

*Principal Property* means any real property or any permanent improvement thereon located in the United States owned by PCA or any of its Subsidiaries, including, without limitation, any (a) timber property or (b) warehouse, manufacturing or processing plant, building, structure or other facility (or any portion thereof, and any equipment located at or comprising a part of any such property) having a net book value, as of the date of determination, in excess of 1.0% of our Consolidated Net Tangible Assets.

Restricted Subsidiary means any Subsidiary of PCA in which (a) PCA and its other Subsidiaries aggregate investments in and advances to such Subsidiary exceed 10% of the total assets of PCA and its Subsidiaries consolidated as of the end of the most recently completed fiscal year; or (b) PCA and its other Subsidiaries proportionate share of the total assets of such Subsidiary exceeds 10% of the total assets of PCA and its Subsidiaries consolidated as of the end of the most recently completed fiscal year; or (c) PCA and its other Subsidiaries equity in the income from continuing operations before taxes, extraordinary items and cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle of such Subsidiary exceeds 10% of such income of PCA and its Subsidiaries consolidated for the most recently completed fiscal year.

Sale and Leaseback Transaction of any person means an arrangement with any lender or investor or to which such lender or investor is a party providing for the leasing by such person of any Principal Property that, more than 12 months after (a) the completion of the acquisition, construction, development or improvement of

such Principal Property or (b) the placing in operation of such Principal Property or of such Principal Property as so constructed, developed or improved, has been or is being sold, conveyed, transferred or otherwise disposed of by such person to such lender or investor or to any person to whom funds have been or are to be advanced by such lender on the security of such Principal Property. The term of such arrangement, as of any date (the measurement date ), shall end on the date of the last payment of rent or any other amount due under such arrangement on or prior to the first date after the measurement date on which such arrangement may be terminated by the lessee, at its sole option without payment of a penalty.

Subsidiary of any person means a person more than 50% of the outstanding voting interests in which are owned, directly or indirectly, by such person or by one or more other Subsidiaries of such person or by such person and one or more Subsidiaries thereof.

#### **Events of Default**

An Event of Default with respect to the debt securities of any series is defined in the indenture as being:

default in payment of any principal of or premium, if any, on any of the debt securities of that series when due (whether at maturity, upon redemption, upon repayment or repurchase at the option of the holder or otherwise and whether payable in cash or in shares of our common stock or other securities or property);

default in payment of any interest on any of the debt securities of that series when due and continuance of such default for a period of 30 days;

default by us in the performance, or breach by us, of any other covenant in the indenture or in any debt security of that series (other than a covenant included in the indenture solely for the benefit of a series of debt securities other than that series) and continuance of that default for a period of 90 days after notice to us by the trustee or to us and the trustee by the holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount of the debt securities of that series then outstanding, as provided in the indenture;

default in the payment after the final maturity of any bond, note, debenture or other evidence of Indebtedness of us in an aggregate principal amount exceeding \$30,000,000 (or the equivalent thereof in any other currency or currency unit), or default under any bond, note, debenture or other evidence of Indebtedness of us or under any Lien, indenture or other instrument under which there may be issued or by which there may be secured or evidenced any Indebtedness of us, which results in the acceleration of such Indebtedness in an aggregate principal amount exceeding \$30,000,000 (or the equivalent thereof in any other currency or currency unit), but only if such Indebtedness is not discharged or such acceleration is not rescinded or annulled within 30 days after notice to us, as provided in the indenture;

specified events of bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization of us; or

any other Event of Default established for the debt securities of that series.

The indenture permits us to delete, modify or add to the preceding Events of Default with respect to any series of debt securities, and an Event of Default with respect to a series of debt securities does not necessarily constitute an Event of Default with respect to any other series of debt securities. Any additional or different Events of Default with respect to a particular series of debt securities will be described in the applicable prospectus supplement. The indenture provides that the trustee may withhold notice to the holders of the debt securities of any series of the occurrence of a default with respect to the debt securities of that series (except for a default in the payment of principal, premium, if any, or interest) if the trustee in good faith determines it to be in the interest of the holders to do so.

If an Event of Default with respect to the debt securities of any series occurs and is continuing, either the trustee or the holders of at least 25% of the aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series may declare the principal of all the debt securities of that series, or of such lesser amount as may be provided for in the debt securities of such series, and accrued and unpaid interest, if any, thereon, to be due and

payable immediately. At any time after the debt securities of any series have been accelerated, but before a judgment or decree for payment of money due has been obtained, the holders of a majority of the aggregate principal amount of outstanding debt securities of that series may, under certain circumstances, rescind and annul such acceleration. An Event of Default relating to our bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization shall cause the principal amount and accrued interest to become immediately due and payable without any declaration or other act by the trustee or holders of the debt securities. For information as to waiver of defaults, see Modification, Waivers and Meetings below.

The indenture provides that, subject to the duty of the trustee during a default to act with the required standard of care, the trustee will be under no obligation to exercise any of its rights or powers under the indenture at the request or direction of any of the holders of debt securities of any series unless such holders shall have offered to the trustee reasonable security or indemnity. Subject to the foregoing, the holders of a majority of the aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series will have the right, subject to certain limitations, to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the trustee under the indenture with respect to the debt securities of that series.

No holder of any debt securities of any series will have any right to institute any proceeding with respect to the indenture or for any remedy thereunder unless:

such holder previously has given written notice to the trustee of a continuing Event of Default with respect to debt securities of that series:

the holders of at least 25% in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series have made written request to the trustee to institute such proceeding as trustee, and offered to the trustee reasonable indemnity against costs, expenses and liabilities incurred in compliance with such request;

in the 60-day period following receipt of the notice, request and offer of indemnity referred to above, the trustee has failed to initiate such proceeding; and

during such 60-day period, the trustee has not received from the holders of a majority of the aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series a direction inconsistent with such request.

Notwithstanding the provisions described in the immediately preceding paragraph or any other provision of the indenture, the holder of any debt security shall have the right, which is absolute and unconditional, to receive payment of the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on such debt security on the respective dates such payments are due and to institute suit for enforcement of any such payment, and such right shall not be impaired without the consent of such holder.

#### **Modification, Waivers and Meetings**

The indenture contains provisions permitting us and the trustee, with the consent of the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of each series issued under the indenture that is affected by the modification or amendment, to modify or amend any of the provisions of the indenture or of the debt securities of such series or the rights of the holders of the debt securities of such series under the indenture, provided that no such modification or amendment shall, among other things:

change the stated maturity of the principal of, or premium, if any, or any installment of interest, if any, on any debt securities;

reduce the principal amount of any debt securities or any premium on any debt securities;

reduce the rate of interest (or modify the calculation of such rate) on any debt securities;

reduce the principal amount payable upon redemption at our option or at the option of the holder;

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reduce the amount of the principal of any original issue discount debt security that would be due and payable upon a declaration of acceleration of the maturity or the amount thereof provable in bankruptcy;

adversely affect the right of repayment at the option of any holder;

change any place where, or the currency in which, any debt securities are payable;

impair the holder s right to institute suit to enforce the payment of any debt securities when due; or

reduce the percentage in principal amount of debt securities of any series issued under the indenture the consent of whose holders is required for any such modification or amendment or the consent of whose holders is required for any waiver (of compliance with certain provisions of the indenture or certain defaults thereunder and their consequences) or reduce the requirements for a quorum or voting at a meeting of holders of such debt securities,

without in each such case obtaining the consent of the holder of each outstanding debt security issued under the indenture so affected.

The indenture also contains provisions permitting us and the trustee, without notice to or the consent of the holders of any debt securities issued thereunder, to modify or amend the indenture in order to, among other things:

add to our covenants for the benefit of the holders of all or any series of debt securities issued under the indenture or to surrender any right or power conferred upon us with respect to all or any series of debt securities issued under the indenture;

add any additional Events of Default with respect to all or any series of debt securities issued under the indenture;

establish the form or terms of debt securities of any series and of any related coupons;

cure any ambiguity or correct or supplement any provision which may be defective or inconsistent with other provisions or to make any other provisions with respect to matters or questions arising under the indenture which shall not adversely affect the interests of the holders of any series of debt securities issued thereunder;

evidence the succession of another person to us and the assumption by any such successor of the covenants of us contained in the indenture and the debt securities;

secure the debt securities;

qualify or maintain the qualification of the indenture under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939;

amend or supplement any provision contained in the indenture or in any supplement thereto or in any debt securities, provided that such amendment or supplement does not apply to any outstanding debt securities issued prior to the date of such amendment or supplement and entitled to the benefits of such provision;

add to or change any of the provisions of the indenture to provide that bearer debt securities may be registrable as to principal, to change or eliminate any restrictions on the payment of principal of, or any premium or interest on, debt securities, to permit bearer debt securities to be issued in exchange for registered debt securities, to permit bearer debt securities to be exchanged for bearer debt securities of other authorized denominations or to permit or facilitate the issuance of debt securities in uncertificated or global form, provided any such action shall not adversely affect the interests of the holders of debt securities of any series;

evidence and provide for the acceptance of appointment under the indenture by a successor trustee with respect to the debt securities of one or more series and add to or change any of the provisions of the indenture as shall be necessary to provide for or facilitate the administration of the trusts under the indenture by more than one trustee;

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supplement any of the provisions of the indenture to such extent as shall be necessary to permit or facilitate the defeasance, covenant defeasance and/or satisfaction and discharge of any series of debt securities, provided that any such action shall not adversely affect the interests of any holder of a debt security of such series or any other debt security in any material respect;

make provisions with respect to conversion or exchange rights of holders of debt securities of any series; or

in the case of any series of debt securities which are convertible into or exchangeable for our common stock or other securities or property, safeguard or provide for the conversion or exchange rights, as the case may be, of such debt securities in the event of any reclassification or change of outstanding shares of our common stock or any merger, consolidation, statutory share exchange or combination of us with or into another person or any sale, transfer, disposition or other conveyance of all or substantially all of our properties and assets to any other person or other similar transactions, if expressly required by the terms of such series of debt securities.

The holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series may, on behalf of all holders of debt securities of that series, waive our compliance with certain restrictive provisions of the indenture, including the covenants described above under Covenants Limitations on Liens and Limitations on Sale and Leaseback Transactions. The holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series may, on behalf of all holders of debt securities of that series, waive any past default under the indenture with respect to debt securities of that series and its consequences, except a default in the payment of the principal of, or premium, if any, or interest on any debt securities of such series or in respect of a covenant or provision which cannot be modified or amended without the consent of the holder of each outstanding debt security of such series affected.

The indenture contains provisions for convening meetings of the holders of debt securities of a series issued thereunder. A meeting may be called at any time by the trustee and also, upon request, by us or the holders of at least 10% in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of such series, in any such case upon notice given in accordance with the provisions of the indenture. Except for any consent which must be given by the holder of each outstanding debt security affected thereby, as described above, any resolution presented at a meeting or adjourned meeting duly reconvened at which a quorum is present may be adopted only by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series; provided, however, that any resolution with respect to any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action which the indenture expressly provides may be made, given or taken by the holders of a specified percentage, other than a majority, in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series may be adopted at a meeting or adjourned meeting duly reconvened at which a quorum is present by the affirmative vote of the holders of such specified percentage in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of that series. Any resolution passed or decision taken at any meeting of holders of debt securities of any series duly held in accordance with the indenture will be binding on all holders of debt securities of that series whether or not such holders were present or represented at the meeting. The quorum at any meeting called to adopt a resolution, and at any reconvened meeting, will be persons holding or representing a majority in principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of a series, subject to certain exceptions.

In determining whether the holders of the requisite principal amount of the outstanding debt securities of any series have given any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver under the indenture, any debt security of that series owned by us or any other obligor on such debt securities or any of our affiliates or such other obligor will be deemed not to be outstanding.

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#### **Defeasance and Covenant Defeasance**

When we use the term defeasance, we mean discharge from some or all of our obligations under the indenture. If we deposit with the trustee sufficient cash or government securities to pay the principal, interest and any other sums due to the stated maturity date of the debt securities, then at our option:

we will be discharged from our obligations with respect to the debt securities; or

we will no longer be under any obligation to comply with certain restrictive covenants under the indenture, and certain events of default will no longer apply to us.

If this happens, the holders of the debt securities will not be entitled to the benefits of the indenture, except for registration of transfer and exchange thereof, and replacement of those that are lost, stolen or mutilated. These holders may look only to those deposited funds or obligations for payment.

We must deliver to the trustee an opinion of counsel to the effect that the deposit and related defeasance would not cause the holders of the debt securities to recognize income, gain or loss for United States federal income tax purposes.

#### **Governing Law**

The indenture is, and the debt securities will be, governed by the laws of the State of New York.

#### Trustee

U.S. Bank National Association is the trustee under the indenture.

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through agents;

#### PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

We may sell the debt securities offered pursuant to this prospectus in any of the following ways:	
directly to one or more purchasers;	

through underwriters, brokers or dealers; or

through a combination of any of these methods of sale.

We will identify the specific plan of distribution, including any underwriters, brokers, dealers, agents or direct purchasers and their compensation in a prospectus supplement.

#### LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the debt securities offered pursuant to this prospectus and any prospectus supplement will be passed upon for us by Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Chicago, Illinois, and for any underwriters or agents by counsel named in the applicable prospectus supplement.

#### EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements of Packaging Corporation of America appearing in Packaging Corporation of America s Annual Report (Form 10-K) for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011 (including Schedule II appearing therein) and the effectiveness of Packaging Corporation of America s internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2011, have been audited by Ernst & Young LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, as set forth in their reports thereon, included therein, and incorporated herein by reference. Such consolidated financial statements are incorporated herein by reference in reliance upon such reports given on the authority of such firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

#### WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We file periodic reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. You may read and copy (at prescribed rates) any such reports, proxy statements and other information at the SEC s Public Reference Room at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549. For further information concerning the SEC s Public Reference Room, you may call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330. Some of this information may also be accessed on the World Wide Web through the SEC s Internet address at http://www.sec.gov. This website address is not intended to be an active link.

#### INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference information into this prospectus, which means that we can disclose important information about us by referring you to another document filed separately with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be a part of this prospectus. This prospectus incorporates by reference the documents and reports listed below (other than portions of these documents that are furnished under Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of a Current Report on Form 8-K, including any exhibits included with such Items):

our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011 (including portions of our Definitive Proxy Statement for our 2012 annual meeting of stockholders filed with the SEC on March 23, 2012 to the extent specifically incorporated by reference in Part III of such Annual Report on Form 10-K);

our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2012; and

our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 11, 2012 (with respect to Item 5.07 only).

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We also incorporate by reference the information contained in all other documents we file with the SEC pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (other than portions of these documents that are furnished under Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of a Current Report on Form 8-K, including any exhibits included with such Items, unless otherwise indicated therein) after the date of this prospectus and prior to the termination of the offerings of all the securities covered by this prospectus. The information contained in any such document will be considered part of this prospectus from the date the document is filed with the SEC.

Any statement contained in this prospectus or in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus will be deemed to be modified or superseded to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which also is or is deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus modifies or supersedes that statement. Any statement so modified or superseded will not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this prospectus.

We undertake to provide without charge to any person, including any beneficial owner, to whom a copy of this prospectus is delivered, upon oral or written request of such person, a copy of any or all of the documents that have been incorporated by reference in this prospectus, other than exhibits to such other documents (unless such exhibits are specifically incorporated by reference therein). We will furnish any exhibit not specifically incorporated by reference upon the payment of a specified reasonable fee, which fee will be limited to our reasonable expenses in furnishing such exhibit. All requests for such copies should be directed to Kent A. Pflederer, Packaging Corporation of America, 1955 West Field Court, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045, (847) 482-3000.

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#### PART II

#### INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

#### Item 14. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution.

The following is a statement of the estimated expenses, to be paid solely by Packaging Corporation of America, of the issuance and distribution of the securities being registered hereby:

SEC registration fee	(1)
Printing expenses	(2)
Accounting fees and expenses	(2)
Legal fees and expenses	(2)
Rating agency fees and expenses	(2)
Trustee s fees and expenses (including counsel s fees)	(2)
Miscellaneous expenses	(2)
Total	(2)

- (1) In accordance with Rules 456(b) and 457(r), we are deferring payment of the registration fee.
- (2) An estimate of the aggregate amount of these expenses will be reflected in the applicable prospectus supplement.

## Item 15. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

#### **Delaware General Corporation Law**

Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the DGCL ) provides that a corporation may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of the corporation) by reason of the fact that the person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses (including attorneys fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by the person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if the person acted in good faith and in a manner the person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe that the person s conduct was unlawful. Section 145 of the DGCL further provides that a corporation similarly may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the corporation to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that the person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses (including attorneys fees) actually and reasonably incurred by the person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if the person acted in good faith and in a manner that the person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation and except that no indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which such person shall have been adjudged to be liable to the corporation unless and only to the extent that the Delaware Court of Chancery or such other court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all of the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which the Delaware Court of Chancery or such other court shall deem proper.

Section 145 of the DGCL also provides that a corporation has the power to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation,

partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against such person and incurred by such person in any such capacity, or arising out of such person s status as such, whether or not the corporation would have the power to indemnify such person against such liability under this section.

#### Certificate of Incorporation

Our restated certificate of incorporation provides that to the fullest extent permitted from time to time by the DGCL, our directors shall not be liable to us or our stockholders for monetary damages for a breach of fiduciary duty as a director.

#### By-laws

Our amended and restated by-laws provide that we shall indemnify our directors and officers to the maximum extent permitted from time to time by the DGCL.

#### Insurance

Our directors and officers are covered under directors and officers liability insurance policies maintained by us.

#### Item 16. Exhibits.

Reference is made to the attached Exhibit Index.

#### Item 17. Undertakings.

- (a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:
  - (1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:
    - (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933;
    - (ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the Calculation of Registration Fee table in the effective registration statement; and
    - (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement.

*Provided*, *however*, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i), (a)(1)(ii) and (a)(1)(iii) do not apply if the registration statement is on Form S-3 and the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in periodic reports filed with or furnished to the Commission by the registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, that are incorporated by reference in the registration statement or contained in a form prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of the registration statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities

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offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

- (3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.
- (4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser:
  - (i) Each prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) shall be deemed to be part of the registration statement as of the date the filed prospectus was deemed part of and included in the registration statement; and
  - (ii) Each prospectus required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2), (b)(5), or (b)(7) as part of a registration statement in reliance on Rule 430B relating to an offering made pursuant to Rule 415(a)(1)(i), (vii), or (x) for the purpose of providing the information required by section 10(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the earlier of the date such form of prospectus is first used after effectiveness or the date of the first contract of sale of securities in the offering described in the prospectus. As provided in Rule 430B, for liability purposes of the issuer and any person that is at that date an underwriter, such date shall be deemed to be a new effective date of the registration statement relating to the securities in the registration statement to which that prospectus relates, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial *bona fide* offering thereof. *Provided, however*, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such effective date, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such effective date.
- (5) That, for the purpose of determining liability of the registrant under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser in the initial distribution of the securities, the undersigned registrant undertakes that in a primary offering of securities of the undersigned registrant pursuant to this registration statement, regardless of the underwriting method used to sell the securities to the purchaser, if the securities are offered or sold to such purchaser by means of any of the following communications, the undersigned registrant will be a seller to the purchaser and will be considered to offer or sell such securities to such purchaser:
  - (i) Any preliminary prospectus or prospectus of the undersigned registrant relating to the offering required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424:
  - (ii) Any free writing prospectus relating to the offering prepared by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant or used or referred to by the undersigned registrant;
  - (iii) The portion of any other free writing prospectus relating to the offering containing material information about the undersigned registrant or its securities provided by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant; and
- (iv) Any other communication that is an offer in the offering made by the undersigned registrant to the purchaser.

  (b) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each filing of the registrant s annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan s annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) that is incorporated by reference in the registration statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial *bona fide* offering thereof.

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(c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the provisions referred to in Item 15, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Lake Forest, State of Illinois, on June 21, 2012.

#### PACKAGING CORPORATION OF AMERICA

By: /s/ Mark W. Kowlzan
Name: Mark W. Kowlzan
Title: Chief Executive Officer

#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Paul T. Stecko, Mark W. Kowlzan, Richard B. West and Kent A. Pflederer, and each of them, his or her true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him or her and in his or her name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to execute any and all amendments and supplements to this Registration Statement and any subsequent registration statement filed pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he or she might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents or any of them, or their, or his or her, substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement and power of attorney have been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated on June 21, 2012.

Signature Title /s/ MARK W. KOWLZAN Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer) Mark W. Kowlzan /s/ RICHARD B. WEST Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer) Richard B. West /s/ PAUL T. STECKO Executive Chairman Paul T. Stecko /s/ CHERYL K. BEEBE Director Cheryl K. Beebe

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James D. Woodrum

Signature Title /s/ HASAN JAMEEL Director Hasan Jameel /s/ ROBERT C. LYONS Director Robert C. Lyons /s/ Samuel M. Mencoff Director Samuel M. Mencoff /s/ Roger B. Porter Director Roger B. Porter /s/ Thomas S. Souleles Director Thomas S. Souleles /s/ James D. Woodrum Director

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#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit No.	Description
1.1	Form of Underwriting Agreement for Debt Securities (1)
4.1	Indenture between PCA and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee, dated as of July 21, 2003 (2)
4.2	Form of Debt Securities (1)
5.1	Opinion of Kirkland & Ellis LLP
12.1	Statement regarding computation of ratio of earnings to fixed charges
23.1	Consent of Ernst & Young LLP
23.2	Consent of Kirkland & Ellis LLP (set forth in Exhibit 5.1)
24.1	Powers of attorney (included on the signature page of the Registration Statement)
25.1	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility Under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, of U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee

- (1) To be filed, if necessary, by a post-effective amendment to the registration statement or as an exhibit to a document incorporated by reference herein.
- (2) Incorporated by reference from Exhibit 4.2 to PCA s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed with the SEC on August 13, 2003.

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