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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SZ INVESTMENTS LLC			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement(Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COVANTA HOLDING CORP [CVA]				
(Last) (Fi	irst)	(Middle)	02/23/2011		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 600					(Check all applicable)				
(St CHICAGO, IL	^{eet)} 60606				Director 10% Owner Officer _X_ Other (give title below) (specify below) Member of 10% group			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (St	ate)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	•	
Common Stock				12,607,682	2	D (1)	Â		
Common Stock				2,341,500		D (2)	Â		
Reminder: Report or owned directly or ind	directly. Person informa require	s who resp ation conta d to respo	ch class of secu oond to the co ined in this fo nd unless the IB control nu	ollection of orm are not e form displa	5.	EC 1473 (7-02)		

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

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Derivative	Security:
Exercisable	Date		Number of	Security	Direct (D)
			Shares		or Indirect
					(I)
					(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
SZ INVESTMENTS LLC TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA SUITE 600 CHICAGO, IL 60606	Â	Â	Â	Member of 10% group	
EGI-Fund (05-07) Investors, L.L.C. TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA SUITE 600 CHICAGO, IL 60606	Â	Â	Â	Member of 10% group	
CHAI TRUST CO LLC TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA SUITE 600 CHICAGO, IL 60606	Â	Â	Â	Member of 10% group	
Signatures					
/s/ Philip G. Tinkler, Vice President of SZ Investments, L.L.C. 03/02/2011					

**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Philip G. Tinkler, Vice President of EGI-Fund (05-07) Investors, L.L.C.	03/02/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ James G. Bunegar, Vice President of Chai Trust Co LLC	03/02/2011
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

Such shares are beneficially owned by SZ investments, L.L.C. ("SZI"). SZI is indirectly owned by trusts established for the benefit of Samuel Zell and members of his family (the "Trusts"). The Trustee of the Trusts is Chai Trust Company, LLC, of which Samuel Zell is

(1) Samuel Zell and members of his rammy (the Trusts). The Trustee of the Trusts is char trust company, ELC, of which samuel Zell is neither an officer nor a director, and thus he disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(2) Such shares are beneficially owned by EGI-Fund (05-07) Investors, L.L.C., which is indirectly owned by the Trusts. Samuel Zell disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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