

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Childress Jeffrey L</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O DYNEX CAPITAL, INC.</u> <u>4991 LAKE BROOK DRIVE, SUITE 100</u>  (Street) <u>GLEN ALLEN</u> <u>VA</u> <u>23060</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DYNEX CAPITAL INC [ DX ]</u>  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/15/2010</u>  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) <u>X</u> Other (specify below) <u>Controller</u>  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <u>X</u> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>10/15/2010</u>		<u>J<sup>(1)</sup></u>		<u>500</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>\$0<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>6,759</u>	<u>D</u>	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
<u>Series D Preferred Stock<sup>(2)</sup></u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>10/15/2010</u>		<u>J<sup>(1)</sup></u>			<u>500</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>\$0<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>0</u>	<u>D</u>	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On October 15, 2010, Dynex Capital, Inc. redeemed all of its Series D Preferred Stock in exchange for shares of its common stock at a one-for-one redemption ratio, in accordance with the terms of the Series D Preferred Stock. Before such redemption, the Series D Preferred Stock was convertible into common stock at any time on a one-for-one basis, with no expiration date.
2. The full name of the Series D Preferred Stock is "Series D 9.50% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock."

Remarks:

Alison G. Griffin, as attorney-in-  
fact for Jeffrey L. Childress 10/19/2010  
\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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