FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address	1 0		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DYNEX CAPITAL INC</u> [DX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
AKIN THOMA	<u> 45 B</u>			X	Director	Х	10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		x	Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)		
C/O DYNEX CAP	PITAL, INC.	· · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2012		Chairman and C		EO		
4991 LAKE BROOK DRIVE, SUITE 100									
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Fili	ng (Che	eck Applicable Line)		
GLEN ALLEN VA 23060				X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		

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. Transac Code (li 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	03/15/2012		Α		17,959	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	1,081,881	D	
Common Stock								1,305,083	Ι	By Talkot Fund
Common Stock								14,394	Ι	By Spouse

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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted shares issued to the reporting person under the company's Performance Bonus Program for 2011 performance that will vest in equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of March 15, 2012. Remarks:

Stephen J. Benedetti, as attorney-	03/19/2012
in-fact for Thomas B. Akin	05/19/2012

** 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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