

CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Form 8-K

July 25, 2005

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549



**FORM 8-K**



**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**



Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): **July 19, 2005**

## **CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Massachusetts**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-24049**  
(Commission  
file number)

**04-2372210**  
(IRS employer  
identification no.)

**200 Clarendon Street, Boston, Massachusetts**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**02116**  
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(617) 425-3000**

**Not Applicable**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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one year's salary; and

full vesting of all stock options that have been awarded to him.

The agreement also provides that, subject to the approval of our compensation committee, Mr. Mackie will be awarded a stock option to purchase 25,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price equal to the fair market value of our common stock on the date the option is granted. The option will vest over four equal annual installments and expire after ten years.



**SIGNATURES**



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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**CRA INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

Dated: July 25, 2005

By:

*/s/ J. Phillip Cooper*

J. Phillip Cooper

Vice Chairman and Executive Vice President