COVANTA HOLDING CORP

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 10-Q/A

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

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2014

or

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

For the transition period from

Commission file number 1-06732

COVANTA HOLDING CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 95-6021257
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) Identification Number)

to

445 South Street, Morristown, NJ 07960 (Address of Principal Executive Office) (Zip Code)

(862) 345-5000

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes $\,\flat\,$ No $\,$ " Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes $\,\flat\,$ No $\,$ "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer b ... Accelerated filer Non-accelerated filer ... Smaller reporting company ...

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "No b

Applicable Only to Corporate Issuers:

Indicate the number of shares of the registrant's Common Stock outstanding as of the latest practicable date.

Class Outstanding at July 31, 2014

Common Stock, \$0.10 par value 130,930,910

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Covanta Holding Corporation is filing this Amendment No. 1 (the "Form 10-Q/A") to our Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2014 (the "Form 10-Q"), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 8, 2014, for the sole purpose of deleting Exhibit 99.2 which was inadvertently attached to the Form 10-Q. Except for the deletion of Exhibit 99.2, this Form 10-Q/A restates the Form 10-Q in its entirety.

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CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q may constitute "forward-looking" statements as defined in Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act"), Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 (the "PSLRA") or in releases made by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), all as may be amended from time to time. Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other important factors that could cause the actual results, performance or achievements of Covanta Holding Corporation and its subsidiaries ("Covanta") or industry results, to differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements, Statements that are not historical fact are forward-looking statements, Forward-looking statements can be identified by, among other things, the use of forward-looking language, such as the words "plan," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "estimate," "project," "may," "will," "would," "could," "seeks," or "sche similar words, or the negative of these terms or other variations of these terms or comparable language, or by discussion of strategy or intentions. These cautionary statements are being made pursuant to the Securities Act, the Exchange Act and the PSLRA with the intention of obtaining the benefits of the "safe harbor" provisions of such laws. Covanta cautions investors that any forward-looking statements made by us are not guarantees or indicative of future performance. Important factors, risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to:

seasonal or long-term fluctuations in the prices of energy, waste disposal, scrap metal and commodities; our ability to renew or replace expiring contracts at comparable prices and with other acceptable terms; adoption of new laws and regulations in the United States and abroad, including energy laws, environmental laws, labor laws and healthcare laws;

our ability to utilize net operating loss carryforwards;

failure to maintain historical performance levels at our facilities and our ability to retain the rights to operate facilities we do not own;

our ability to avoid adverse publicity relating to our business;

advances in technology;

difficulties in the operation of our facilities, including fuel supply and energy delivery interruptions, failure to obtain regulatory approvals, equipment failures, labor disputes and work stoppages, and weather interference and catastrophic events;

difficulties in the financing, development and construction of new projects and expansions, including increased construction costs and delays;

limits of insurance coverage;

our ability to avoid defaults under our long-term contracts;

performance of third parties under our contracts and such third parties' observance of laws and regulations;

concentration of suppliers and customers;

geographic concentration of facilities;

increased competitiveness in the energy and waste industries;

changes in foreign currency exchange rates;

limitations imposed by our existing indebtedness and our ability to perform our financial obligations and guarantees and to refinance our existing indebtedness;

exposure to counterparty credit risk and instability of financial institutions in connection with financing transactions; the scalability of our business;

restrictions in our certificate of incorporation and debt documents regarding strategic alternatives;

failures of disclosure controls and procedures and internal controls over financial reporting;

our ability to attract and retain talented people;

general economic conditions in the United States and abroad, including the availability of credit and debt financing; and

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other risks and uncertainties affecting our businesses described in Item 1A. Risk Factors of Covanta's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 and in other filings by Covanta with the SEC. Although we believe that our plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by such forward-looking statements are reasonable, actual results could differ materially from a projection or assumption in any of our forward-looking statements. Our future financial condition and results of operations, as well as any forward-looking statements, are subject to change and inherent risks and uncertainties. The forward-looking statements contained in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q are made only as of the date hereof and we do not have, or undertake, any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, subsequent events or otherwise, unless otherwise required by law.

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	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,		
	2014	2013	2014	2013	
	(Unaudite	ed)			
	(In millions, except per share amounts)				
OPERATING REVENUES:					
Waste and service revenues	\$267	\$257	\$508	\$487	
Recycled metals revenues	25	17	46	33	
Energy revenues	110	103	230	205	
Other operating revenues	30	34	49	58	
Total operating revenues	432	411	833	783	
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
Plant operating expenses	268	250	550	530	
Other operating expenses	29	25	47	42	
General and administrative expenses	26	21	47	42	
Depreciation and amortization expense	53	52	106	105	
Net interest expense on project debt	2	4	5	7	
Net write-offs	7	4	16	4	
Total operating expenses	385	356	771	730	
Operating income	47	55	62	53	
Other expenses:					
Interest expense	(33) (29) (62) (58)
Non-cash convertible debt related expense	(5) (7) (13)	