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FORM 12b-25

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

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(Check One):

o Form 10-K

o Form 20-F

x Form 11-K

o Form 10-Q

o Form 10-D

o Form N-SAR

o Form N-CSR

For Period Ended: <u>December 31, 2012</u>

- > Transition Report on Form 10-K
- > Transition Report on Form 20-F
- > Transition Report on Form 11-K
- > Transition Report on Form 10-Q
- > Transition Report on Form N-SAR

For the Transition Period Ended: N/A

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Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.

If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates:

N/A

PART I — REGISTRANT INFORMATION

DYNEX CAPITAL, INC. 401(k) PLAN

Full Name of Registrant

N/A

Former Name if Applicable

4991 Lake Brook Drive, Suite 100

Address of Principal Executive Office (Street and Number)

Glen Allen, Virginia 23060-9245

City, State and Zip Code

PART II — RULES 12b-25(b) AND (c)

If the subject report could not be filed without unreasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the following should be completed. (Check box if appropriate)

- (a) The reason described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense;
 The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, Form 20-F, Form 11-K, Form N-SAR or Form N-CSR, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or
- portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifteenth calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q or subject distribution report on Form 10-D, or portion thereof, will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and
 - (c) The accountant's statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

PART III — NARRATIVE

State below in reasonable detail why Forms 10-K, 20-F, 11-K, 10-Q, N-SAR, N-CSR, or the transition report or portion thereof, could not be filed wit prescribed time period.

The Dynex Capital, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") recently began the process to prepare financial statements of the Plan as required by ERISA and Form 11-K. As a result, the required financial reporting has not yet been completed and the Plan is unable to file its Form 11-K in the prescribed time period without unreasonable effort and expense.

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