FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fendley Steven S.					KI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [KTOS]								(Che	eck all applic Directo	r (give title		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s below)	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10680 TREENA STREET, SUITE 600						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2021									President, US Division					
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Benefici	es Formally (D) (Following (I) (I		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)		ľ	msu. 4)	
Common Stock 03/17/2					/2021	2021		M ⁽²⁾		16,667	(2) A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	331,584		D				
Common Stock 03/29/2					/2021	2021					6,558 ⁽³	3) D \$		\$27.0	325,026		D			
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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		e	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	nount imber ares						
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/17/2021			M			16,667	(2)		(2)	Commo	n 16	5,667	\$0	33,333		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.
- 2. RSUs were granted and previously reported on a Form 4 filed March 19, 2020, where 50,000 RSUs vest ratably on each of the first three anniversaries of the March 17, 2020 date of grant.
- 3. Shares withheld in a net transaction to satisfy the minimum tax liability, in accordance with Issuer's trading policies, in connection with vested shares reported in this Form and released on March 29, 2021.

Steven S. Fendley, by Eva Yee, 03/31/2021 Attorney-In-Fact

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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