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 of Reporting Person* <u>Lund Deanna H</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [KTOS]										ck all appli Directo	cable)	g Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ow Other (s	vner	
(Last) 4820 EA	(Fi STGATE M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2016										below)		below)		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,				
(Street) SAN DII (City)			92121 (Zip)		4.1	I. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curiti	ies Ad	quire	d, D	isp	osed o	of, or Be	enefi	cially	y Owned	k				
Da			Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		′ co	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Securitie Benefici Owned F		es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Со	de V		Amount	(A) ((D)	r P	rice	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 09/12					2/201	2016			N	[7,500	(2) A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	159,	,257 ⁽⁴⁾		D		
Common	Stock			09/12	2/2016	6			1			2,818	(3) D	- 5	\$7.39	156,	i,439 ⁽⁴⁾ D				
		Т	able II -										, or Ber ble sec			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.		n of I		Exercition D	ate	ble and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and 4		of s ig e Secu		3. 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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Ex Da	opiration ate	Title	Amo or Num of Sha	nber						
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	09/12/2016			M			7,500	(2)		(2)	Common Stock	7,5	000	\$0	37,500		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive once share of Issuer's common stock.
- 2. RSUs were granted and previously reported on a Form 4 filed January 5, 2015. Of these RSUs, 7,500 were released on September 12, 2016.
- 3. Shares withheld in a net transaction to satisfy the minimum tax liability, in accordance with Issuer's trading policies, in connection with shares released as reported in this Form 4.
- 4. Includes 16,626 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 14,147 shares held in Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

<u>Deanna H. Lund, by Eva Yee,</u> <u>Attorney-In-Fact</u>

09/14/2016

** 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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