Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Carrai Phillip D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [ KTOS ]									(Che	ck all app	tionship of Reporti all applicable) Director Officer (give title		rson(s) to Is 10% Ov Other (s	vner
(Last) 10680 T	(Last) (First) (Middle) 10680 TREENA STREET, SUITE 600					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2024								y	belov	below)  President, S		below)	
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92131				4. If #	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day				Execu (Year) if any		eemed ution Date, th/Day/Year)				es Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securi Benefi Owned	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		m: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/08				03/08/2	2024				F		60,129(1)		)   \$	18.24	1 296	296,433(2)		D	
Common Stock														40	6,644		I	by trust	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares withheld in a net transaction to satisfy the tax liability, in accordance with Issuer's trading policies, in connection with shares vested February 29, 2024 from performance restricted stock units as reported on a Form 4 filed March 4, 2024 and released March 8, 2024.
- 2. Includes 11,385 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan, and approximately 3,324 shares held through Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

Phillip D. Carrai, by Eva Yee, Attorney-In-Fact

03/12/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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