1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
   Mendoza Marie
   
   (Last)     (First)     (Middle)
   10680 TREENA STREET, SUITE 600
   
   (Street)   
   SAN DIEGO   CA  92131
   
   (City)     (State)   (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [ KTOS ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   (Check all applicable)
   Director
   [X] Officer (give title below)
   VP & General Counsel
   10% Owner
   Other (specify below)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
   01/03/2020

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   X Form filed by One Reporting Person
   Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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<th>1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)</th>
<th>4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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<th>1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)</th>
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<th>3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
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<th>6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
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Explanation of Responses:
1. Each Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.
2. RSUs vest ratably on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant, unless earlier vested or terminated pursuant to the terms of the RSU agreement.

Marie C. Mendoza, by Eva Yee, Attorney-In-Fact 01/06/2020
** 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).


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