FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C. 20549)
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mendoza Marie					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [KTOS]										all app Direc	,		n(s) to Is 10% Ov Other (s	wner
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(Street)					4. If #	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This transaction was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 15, 2021, as amended September 12, 2022.
- 2. Includes 1,281 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan and approximately 13,839 shares held through Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

Marie C. Mendoza, by Eva Yee, Attorney-In-Fact

08/17/2023

** 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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