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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mendoza Marie						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 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10680 TREENA STREET, SUITE 600				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2024										Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP & General Counsel						
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92131 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Person					
		Table	I - Non-[Deriva	tive	Secur	ities	Ac	quir	ed, D	isposed	of,	or E	Benefic	ially	Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yes				ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea		, t	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and				nd 5) Securi Benefi		icially d Following	For (D) Indi	irect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	() or ()	Price		Transa	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)		tr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/16/2024					4	-			S ⁽¹⁾		1,500(1)		D	\$27.96	7.9611 ⁽²⁾		5,631(3)		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exp	iration	ercisable and I Date Iy/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Der Sec (Ins	ice of varive derivative Securities Seneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)		у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirec Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e ercisabl	Expiration Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

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 December 4, 2023.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$27.56 to \$28.46 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Issuer, any security holder of Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.
- 3. Includes 1,738 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan and approximately 14,338 shares held through Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

Marie C. Mendoza, by Eva 12/18/2024 Yee, 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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