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

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
   10/16/2023

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
   3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
   10/16/2023

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   Director
   Officer (give title below)
   SVP & General Counsel
   10% Owner

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

7. Title and Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
   Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication
   Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c).

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

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<td>V 1,000</td>
<td>17.15</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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 13,914 shares held through Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

Marie C. Mendoza, by Eva Yee, Attorney-In-Fact 10/18/2023
** 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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