

KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC.

Form 4

September 23, 2016

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Carrai Phillip D

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)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4820 EASTGATE MALL

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/22/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

President, TTS Division

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| Common Stock | 09/22/2016 | | M | (A) or (D) Amount 4,500 (2) | \$ 0 | 112,188 (4) | D |
| Common Stock | 09/22/2016 | | F | 1,489 (3) | \$ 7.39 | 110,699 (4) | D |
| Common Stock | | | | | 23,394 | I | by trust |

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 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) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Pr Dep Secu (Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 09/22/2016 | | M | 4,500 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 4,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| Carrai Phillip D 4820 EASTGATE MALL SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 | President, TTS Division |

Signatures

Phillip D. Carrai, by Eva Yee,
Attorney-In-Fact 09/23/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

(1) Each restricted stock unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.

(2) RSUs were granted and previously reported on a Form 4 filed January 5, 2015. Of these RSUs, 4,500 were released on September 22, 2016.

(3) Shares withheld in a net transaction for satisfaction of minimum tax liability, in accordance with Issuer's trading policies, in connection with shares released as reported in this Form 4.

(4) Includes 14,286 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 14,413 shares held in Issuer's 410(k) Plan.

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