

KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC.

Form 4

January 05, 2017

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Carter David M

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)
01/03/2017

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

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

President, DRSS 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	01/03/2017		M	(A) or (D) Amount (1) 20,000	Price \$ 0	95,876 (4)	D

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)**

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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)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	01/03/2017		M			20,000	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	20,000
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	01/04/2017		A			30,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Carter David M 4820 EASTGATE MALL SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	President, DRSS Division

Signatures

David M. Carter, by Eva Yee,
Attorney-In-Fact 01/05/2017

__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).

Common Stock issued to reporting person pursuant to settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit (RSU) granted on January (1) 3, 2012, which vest 100% on the five year anniversary of the date of grant, unless earlier vested pursuant to the terms of the RSU agreement.

15,000 RSUs vest 100% on the five year anniversary of the date of grant, unless earlier vested or terminated pursuant to the terms of the RSU agreement. The other 15,000 RSUs vest 20% upon each 10% increase in the closing market price of the Issuer's common stock (2) measured from the RSU grant date through the 10-year anniversary of the RSU grant date, unless earlier vested or terminated pursuant to the terms of the RSU agreement (provided that such increase in the closing market price of common stock is sustained for twenty consecutive trading days).

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

(4) Includes 10,551 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 11,466 shares held in Issuer's 401(k) Plan.

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