

KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CARANO BANDEL L

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/26/2015

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

C/O OAK INVESTMENT PARTNERS, 525 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, SUITE 1300

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date 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

PALO ALTO, CA 94301

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | |
| Common Stock | 08/26/2015 | | P | A | \$ 53,601 | 353,856 | D ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 11,825,345 | I See ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CARANO BANDEL L C/O OAK INVESTMENT PARTNERS 525 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, SUITE 1300 PALO ALTO, CA 94301 | X | | X | |

Signatures

Bandel L.
Carano 08/28/2015

__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) Represents shares of Common Stock directly owned by Bandel L. Carano.

Represents 267,786 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak Investment Partners IX, Limited Partnership ("Oak IX"); 2,853 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak IX Affiliates Fund, Limited Partnership ("Oak IX Affiliates"); 6,427 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak IX Affiliates Fund-A, Limited Partnership ("Oak IX Affiliates-A"); 539,618 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak Investment Partners X, Limited Partnership ("Oak X"); 8,661 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak X Affiliates Fund, Limited Partnership ("Oak X Affiliates"); and 11,000,000 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Oak Investment Partners XIII, Limited Partnership ("Oak XIII").

(3) Bandel L. Carano is a Director of the Issuer. Mr. Carano is a Managing Member of Oak Associates IX, L.L.C., the General Partner of Oak IX; a Managing Member of Oak IX Affiliates, L.L.C., the General Partner of Oak IX Affiliates and Oak IX Affiliates-A; a Managing Member of Oak Associates X, L.L.C., the General Partner of Oak X; a Managing Member of Oak X Affiliates, L.L.C., the General Partner of Oak X Affiliates; and a Managing Member of Oak Associates XIII, L.L.C., the General Partner of Oak XIII.

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