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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Carter David M (Last) (First) (Middle) 4820 EASTGATE MALL (Street) SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2011	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KRATOS DEFENSE & SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [KTOS]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) President, Defense Eng. Sol.	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	8,483	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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of			

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ^ ⁽²⁾	01/02/2019	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 0		D	^
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ^ ⁽³⁾	01/02/2020	Common Stock	11,999	\$ 0		D	^
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ^ ⁽⁴⁾	01/11/2020	Common Stock	9,000	\$ 0		D	^
Restricted Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ ^ ⁽⁵⁾	01/03/2021	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 0		D	^

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Carter David M 4820 EASTGATE MALL SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	^	^	^ President, Defense Eng. Sol.	^

Signatures

David M. Carter, by Eva Yee,
Attorney-In-Fact
Date: 01/11/2011

^{**}Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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

The reporting person was granted 10,000 restricted stock units on January 2, 2009, which vest 20% annually beginning on January 2, 2010, unless earlier vested upon a change in control or a qualifying termination event pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement. 6,000 restricted stock units represent the remaining unvested units.

(3) The reporting person was granted 15,000 restricted stock units on January 2, 2010, which vest 20% annually beginning on January 2, 2011, unless earlier vested upon a change in control pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement. 11,999 restricted stock units represent the remaining unvested units.

(4) The reporting person was granted 9,000 restricted stock units on January 11, 2010, which vest 100% five (5) years from the date of grant, unless earlier vested upon a change in control pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement.

(5) The reporting person was granted 15,000 restricted stock units on January 3, 2011, with (a) 7,500 restricted stock units vesting 20% annually beginning on January 3, 2012, and (b) 7,500 restricted stock units vesting five (5) years from the date of grant, unless earlier vested upon a change in control pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement.

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