

POIRIER RICHARD  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>POIRIER RICHARD</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>4820 EASTGATE MALL, SUITE 200</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>SAN DIEGO, CA 92121</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>07/02/2012</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>KRATOS DEFENSE &amp; SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC. [KTOS]</p> <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Elec. Products. Div. President</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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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	8,924 <sup>(1)</sup>	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) Title	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	Â <sup>(3)</sup>	Â <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	16,000	\$ 0	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	Â <sup>(4)</sup>	Â <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock	12,500	\$ 0	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		Other
POIRIER RICHARD 4820 EASTGATE MALL, SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	Â	Â	Â	Elec. Products. Div. President	Â

## Signatures

Richard Poirier, by Eva Yee,  
Attorney-In-Fact

07/12/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Includes 1,871 shares held in Issuer's 401(k) Plan and 3,053 shares purchased through Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock.

The reporting person was granted 20,000 restricted stock units on March 30, 2011, which vest 20% annually beginning on March 30, 2012, unless earlier vested upon a change in control or forfeited pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement. 16,000 restricted stock units represents the remaining unvested units.

- (4) The reporting person was granted 12,500 restricted stock units on March 30, 2012, which vest 100% on January 3, 2017, unless earlier vested upon a change in control or forfeited pursuant to the terms of the restricted stock unit agreement.

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