Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.

Form 4

March 05, 2014

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Twitchell Karen A.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.

[KRA]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2014

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O KRATON PERFORMANCE POLYMERS, 15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY BLVD, SUITE 300

(Street)

(First)

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

3.

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

HOUSTON, TX 77032

4. Securities

D

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

03/03/2014

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

13,436

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A)

(1)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price (D)

2,502 \$0

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Twitchell Karen A.

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15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY BLVD, SUITE 300
HOUSTON, TX 77032

Signatures

/s/ James L. Simmons As Attorney-in-Fact for Karen A. Twitchell

03/05/2014

**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).

Each director is granted \$70,000 of common stock of Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. for their services on the Board. The number of shares is based upon a fair market value of \$27.98 determined by averaging of the high and low prices of the common stock of Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. as reported on the New York Stock Exchange on February 28, 2014.

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