

Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.

Form 4

February 09, 2016

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
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Santangelo Mark

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.
[KRA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY,
BLVD., SUITE 300
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/06/2016

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP, Operations & Supply Chain

HOUSTON, TX 77032

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(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)
Common Stock	01/06/2016		A	(A) or (D) 5,133 (1)	\$ 0 5,133	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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/06/2016		A	10,266	(3) 01/06/2026	Common Stock	10,266
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	01/06/2016		A	6,160	(3) 01/06/2026	Common Stock	6,160

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Santangelo Mark 15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY, BLVD., SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032	VP, Operations & Supply Chain

Signatures

/s/ James L. Simmons as Attorney-in-Fact for Mark Santangelo 02/09/2016

____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) The restricted stock award shall vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant, or January 6, 2019.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of KRA common stock.
- (3) This number of performance restricted stock units has been determined based upon the satisfaction of a performance condition, which was established on the date of grant on January 6, 2016.

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