

Kraton Corp
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Conley Melinda Scissors

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77032

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Kraton Corp [KRA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/02/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
SVP & Chief HR Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/02/2017		A		4,181 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 26,443
Common Stock	03/03/2017		F		1,113 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 27.575 25,330
Common Stock	03/03/2017		M		1,876 ⁽³⁾	A	\$ 27,206
Common Stock	03/03/2017		F		498 ⁽⁴⁾	D	\$ 27.575 26,708

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 Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Conley Melinda Scissors C/O KRATON CORPORATION 15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY BLVD. SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032			SVP & Chief HR Officer	

Signatures

/s/ James L. Simmons as Attorney-in-Fact for Melinda Scissors
Conley

03/06/2017

__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 award shall vest in full on the third anniversary of the grant date, being March 2, 2020, subject to the Reporting Person being continuously employed by the Issuer through such vesting date.
- (2) Represents shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of 3,574 restricted stock awards granted to the Reporting Person on March 3, 2014.
- (3) Represents the vesting of 52.5% of the total 3,574 restricted stock performance units, granted on March 3, 2014.
- (4) Represents shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of 1,876 restricted stock performance units granted to the Reporting Person on March 3, 2014.

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