

PLETZ KAREN L  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
PLETZ KAREN L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN [KSU]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN, PO BOX 219335

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/10/2010

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)

KANSAS CITY, MO 64121-9335

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/10/2010		M		20,000	A	\$ 14
Common Stock	02/10/2010		M		10,000	A	\$ 13.8
Common Stock	02/10/2010		S		30,000	D	\$ 30.4421
							(1)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

Limited Stock Appreciation Rights ("LSARs") are granted in tandem with stock options. LSARs become exercisable only following a

(2) change-in-control of the Company in lieu of related options and are exercisable only for cash. LSARs terminate when the related options are exercised or terminated.

(3) Options exercised in rule 16b-3 exempt transaction. LSARs canceled with respect to such shares.

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