Tremblay Stephen E. Form 4 December 27, 2012

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Tremblay Stephen E.

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc.

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

CFO and Vice President

[KRA]

(Middle)

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

12/24/2012

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

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HOUSTON, TX 77032

(City) (State) (Zip)

12/24/2012

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Transactionr Disposed of (D) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) or Indirect **Following** Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

\$ 5,396 S D 23.5797 (1) (2)

18,123 D

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

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7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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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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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Tremblay Stephen E. C/O KRATON PERFORMANCE POLYMERS 15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY BLVD, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032

CFO and Vice President

# **Signatures**

/s/ Stephen E. 12/27/2012 Tremblay

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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).
- Transacted under a 10b5-1 plan that was adopted on November 19, 2012 in order to effect a sale to cover taxes on vesting restricted stock awards.
- The price in column 4 is a weighted average. The prices actually received ranged from \$23.51 to \$23.80. For all transactions reported in (2) this Form 4 utilizing a weighted average price, the reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.

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