

KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Quast Kevin

 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC
 [KNX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

20002 NORTH 19TH AVENUE

(Street)

PHOENIX, AZ 85027

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

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

03/14/2014

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

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

Exec VP and COO

 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Underlying Securities

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr. 9)
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/14/2014	A		5,529 <u>(2)</u>		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	5,529 \$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Quast Kevin 20002 NORTH 19TH AVENUE PHOENIX, AZ 85027			Exec VP and COO	

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Quast 03/18/2014

 **Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Knight Transportation, Inc. common stock, subject to adjustment based on certain performance targets over a three-year performance period ending on December 31, 2016.
- (2) The number of derivative securities is subject to adjustment based on achieving or failing to achieve performance targets measured over a three-year performance period ending on December 31, 2016. The shares earned under this award will vest on January 31, 2018.

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