KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

02/29/2016

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Starling David L			S	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN [KSU]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
	(Last) KANSAS CI BOX 219335	ITY SOUTHERN	(3. Date of Month/Da	•	nnsaction			_X_ Director _X_ Officer (give below)	10%	Owner r (specify	
	KANSAS CI	(Street) ITY, MO 64121-	F		ndment, Dat th/Day/Year)	U	l		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M Person	One Reporting Per	rson	
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative (Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
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	Common Stock	02/26/2016			Code V	Amount 754	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 82.34	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 144,224 (1) (2)	D		

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. DrNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	xpiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 51.55					07/30/2013	07/29/2018	Common Stock	3,880	
LSAR (3)	\$ 51.55					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	3,880	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.41					03/01/2013(4)	02/29/2020	Common Stock	20,600	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 52.62					<u>(5)</u>	02/22/2021	Common Stock	21,900	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 66.99					<u>(5)</u>	02/21/2022	Common Stock	16,447	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 97.77					<u>(5)</u>	02/20/2023	Common Stock	13,068	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 94.23					<u>(5)</u>	02/19/2024	Common Stock	13,835	

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 119.35	(5)	02/17/2025	Common Stock	13,285
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 82.71	<u>(5)</u>	02/18/2026	Common Stock	31,680

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Starling David L KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN PO BOX 219335 KANSAS CITY, MO 64121-9335	X		Chief Executive Officer				

Signatures

Adam J. Godderz, Attorney-in-fact 03/01/2016

**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).
- 9,067 of these shares represent performance shares that were earned on February 19, 2016 when the KCS Compensation and Organization Committee determined that the performance goals were met. These performance shares will not vest until February 29, 2016 contingent upon continued employment by the reporting person through that date. Until these shares vest, the reporting person does not have the right to vote, receive, or be entitled to receive, cash or non-cash dividends or any other beneficial rights as a shareholder of the Company.
 - 10,000 of these shares represent performance shares that were earned on February 19, 2016 when the KCS Compensation and Organization Committee determined that the performance goals were met. These performance shares will not vest until May 1, 2016
- (2) contingent upon continued employment by the reporting person through that date. Until these shares vest, the reporting person does not have the right to vote, receive, or be entitled to receive, cash or non-cash dividends or any other beneficial rights as a shareholder of the Company.
- Limited Stock Appreciation Rights ("LSARs") are granted in tandem with stock options. LSARs become exercisable only following a 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.
 - Prior to March 1, 2013, this option may become exercisable in 1/3 increments if the daily closing price of Kansas City Southern's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange is greater than or equal to \$38.95, \$42.85, and \$47.14, respectively, for at least 30
- (4) consecutive trading days. The first target was met and 6,867 of these options became exercisable on November 19, 2010. The second target was met and 6,867 of these options became exercisable on December 8, 2010. The third target was met and 6,866 of these options became exercisable on January 7, 2011.
- (5) These options become exercisable in three equal installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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