FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SMITH RICHARD STANLEY JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KAMAN Corp [KAMN]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KAMAN CORPORATION						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/19/2024								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP GEN COUNSEL & SECRETARY					
1332 BLUE HILLS AVENUE					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) BLOOMFIELD CT 06002						X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Report Person												- 1	
(City) (State) (Zip)					Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication														
				Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.															
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uriti	es Acc	quired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned					
Date					ansaction th/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code (8)					Beneficia Owned F	s Illy ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Kaman Common Stock 04/					9/2024				D ⁽¹⁾		29,807	7 D	\$46(2	4,950		D			
Kaman Common Stock 04/1					9/2024				D ⁽¹⁾		269	D	\$46(3)	4,6	581	1 D			
Kaman Common Stock 04/19						/2024			D ⁽¹⁾		4,681 D		(4)	0.00			D		
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	ed Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)		5. Number of			exerci	sable and	7. Title and of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 and	d Amount ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$42.86	04/19/2024			D ⁽¹⁾			8,095	(6)		02/23/2026	Kaman Common Stock	8,095	(5)	0.00		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$39.54	04/19/2024			D ⁽¹⁾			4,310	(6)		02/17/2025	Kaman Common Stock	4,310	(5)	0.00		D		
Performance- Based Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00	04/19/2024			D ⁽¹⁾			745	(7)(8)		12/31/2026	Kaman Common Stock	745	(7)	0.00		D		
Performance- Based Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00	04/19/2024			D ⁽¹⁾			22,325	(7)(9)		12/31/2025	Kaman Common Stock	22,325	(7)	0.00		D		
Performance- Based Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.00	04/19/2024			D ⁽¹⁾			3,287	(7)(10))	12/31/2024	Kaman Common Stock	3,287	(7)	0.00		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. On April 19, 2024, affiliates of investment funds managed by Arcline Investment Management LP ("Arcline") acquired Kaman Corporation (the "Issuer") pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of January 18, 2024, entered into by and among the Issuer, Ovation Parent, Inc., an affiliate of Arcline ("Parent"), and Ovation Merger Sub, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Parent ("Merger Sub") (the "Merger Agreement"). In accordance with the Merger Agreement, Merger Sub merged with and into the Issuer, with Issuer surviving such merger as a wholly owned subsidiary of Parent (the "Merger").
- 2. Reflects shares of Issuer common stock disposed of in the Merger. At the effective time of the Merger (the "Effective Time"), each share of the Issuer common stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time (other than certain excluded shares) was cancelled and converted into the right to receive \$46.00 in cash (the "Merger Consideration"), without interest, subject to any applicable withholding
- 3. Reflects restricted shares disposed of in the Merger. At the Effective Time, each outstanding share of Issuer restricted stock immediately prior to the Effective Time fully vested and was cancelled and converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration, without interest, subject to any applicable withholding taxes.
- 4. Reflects certain restricted shares cancelled for no consideration pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement.
- 5. At the Effective Time, each outstanding Issuer stock option outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time fully vested and was cancelled and converted into the right to receive a payment in cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares of Issuer common stock subject to such option, multiplied by (b) the Merger Consideration less the per share exercise price applicable to such option, without interest, subject to any required withholding of taxes.
- 6. These options were exercisable at the rate of 33 1/3% per year, generally beginning one year after the grant date and were to expire ten (10) years after grant. All options were issued under the Issuer's 16b-3 qualified stock incentive plans
- 7. At the Effective Time, each outstanding PSU was fully vested, cancelled and converted into the right to receive a payment in cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares of Issuer common stock underlying such PSU, multiplied by (b) the Merger Consideration, without interest, subject to any required withholding of taxes. The number of PSUs that vested was calculated pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement. Any remaining unvested PSUs were cancelled for no consideration pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement.
- 8. Represents performance-based restricted share units ("PSUs") granted under an Issuer 16b-3 qualified stock incentive plan disposed of in the Merger. Each PSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock. The number of PSUs that were to be earned was between 0% and 200% of the target number of PSUs previously reported and would have vested based on ROIC and relative TSR

performance over the three-year performance period ending on December 31, 2026.

9. Represents PSUs granted under an Issuer 16b-3 qualified stock incentive plan disposed of in the Merger. Each PSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock. The number of PSUs that were to be earned was between 0% and 200% of the target number of PSUs previously reported and would have vested based on ROIC and relative TSR performance over the three-year performance period ending on December 31, 2025.

10. Represents PSUs granted under an Issuer 16b-3 qualified stock incentive plan disposed of in the Merger. Each PSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock. The number of PSUs that were to be earned was between 0% and 200% of the target number of PSUs previously reported and would have vested based on ROIC and relative TSR performance over the three-year performance period ending on December 31, 2024.

Remarks:

/s/ Richard S. Smith, Jr. 04/23/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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