

KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC

Form 4

April 25, 2014

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Miller Adam W

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/25/2014

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
CFO, Secretary and Treasurer

PHOENIX, AZ 85027

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 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<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/25/2014                              |                                                             | M                                       | V Amount (A) or (D) Price<br>1,500 A \$ 18.75                           | 7,990                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/25/2014                              |                                                             | S                                       | 1,500 D \$ 24.2                                                         | 6,490                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/25/2014                              |                                                             | M                                       | 1,000 A \$ 18.77                                                        | 7,490                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/25/2014                              |                                                             | S                                       | 1,000 D \$ 24.2                                                         | 6,490                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/25/2014                              |                                                             | M                                       | 2,500 A \$ 18.2                                                         | 8,990                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |

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|              |            |   |       |   |          |        |   |
|--------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|--------|---|
| Common Stock | 04/25/2014 | S | 2,500 | D | \$ 24.2  | 6,490  | D |
| Common Stock | 04/25/2014 | M | 5,335 | A | \$ 14.79 | 11,825 | D |
| Common Stock | 04/25/2014 | S | 5,335 | D | \$ 24.2  | 6,490  | D |
| Common Stock | 04/25/2014 | M | 5,000 | A | \$ 17.29 | 11,490 | D |
| Common Stock | 04/25/2014 | S | 5,000 | D | \$ 24.2  | 6,490  | D |

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 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 18.75                                               | 04/25/2014                           |                                                    | M                              | 1,500                                                                          | 01/31/2012 <sup>(1)</sup> 05/17/2016                     | Common Stock                                                  | 1,500                      |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 18.77                                               | 04/25/2014                           |                                                    | M                              | 1,000                                                                          | 01/31/2012 <sup>(1)</sup> 05/18/2016                     | Common Stock                                                  | 1,000                      |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 18.2                                                | 04/25/2014                           |                                                    | M                              | 2,500                                                                          | 01/31/2012 <sup>(1)</sup> 05/24/2017                     | Common Stock                                                  | 2,500                      |

Employee

Stock

Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 14.79

04/25/2014

M

5,335

01/31/2012<sup>(1)</sup>

02/27/2018

Common  
Stock

5,335

Employee

Stock

Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 17.29

04/25/2014

M

5,000

01/31/2012<sup>(1)</sup>

05/21/2018

Common  
Stock

5,000

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
|                                                               | Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other |
| Miller Adam W<br>20002 NORTH 19TH AVENUE<br>PHOENIX, AZ 85027 | CFO, Secretary and Treasurer              |

## Signatures

/s/ Adam Miller                      04/25/2014

\*\*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).

The Compensation Committee, as of January 23, 2012, approved accelerated vesting for all Employee Stock Options (right to buy)

(1) granted during the period beginning January, 2005 through December, 2008. All options granted during that time period were treated as fully vested and exercisable as of January 31, 2012.

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