FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Baxter Scott H					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kontoor Brands, Inc. [KTB]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 N. ELM STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2021							ar)		X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO					
(Street) GREENSBORO, NC 27401				4. If	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 Acqu							Acqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date	Date Ex Month/Day/Year) ar		A. Deemed Execution Date, if ny Month/Day/Year)		Code			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d (A)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			Ownership Form: H Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership	
								Cod	e	V	Amour	nt	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common	Common Stock		03/05/	2021				<u>J(1)</u>			74,087.2	214	A	\$ 50.3	185,708.626		D		
Common Stock														380			I	By Son	
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Security	Conversion Date		tion 3A. Deemed Execution Da ay/Year) any		l Date, if	e.g., puts, calls, w 4. te, if Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. an (N	ions, convertible securi 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration			7. Ti Amo Undo Secu (Instr 4)	tle and unt of erlying rities r. 3 and		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securi Direct or Indi	of Benefic Owners y: (Instr. 4
						Code	V	(A) (D	(D)	Ex		Date		Title	Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

D (O N /	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Baxter Scott H 400 N. ELM STREET GREENSBORO, NC 27401	X		President and CEO					

Signatures

/s/ Laurel Krueger for Scott H. Baxter (Pursuant to Signing Authority on File)	03/08/2021
**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).

As previously reported on August 17, 2020, the reporting person contributed 74,087.214 shares to a grantor retained annuity trust. On March 5, 2021, the reporting person withdrew 74,087.214 shares from the grantor retained annuity trust, which he then contributed to a revocable trust, and made a transfer of equivalent consideration to the grantor retained annuity trust in exchange for the withdrawn shares. The reporting person believes that his withdrawal of shares from the trust constitutes only a change in form of beneficial ownership of the shares, exempted by Rule 16a-13 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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