

Gabriel David G.  
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Gabriel David G.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
KAPSTONE PAPER & PACKAGING CORP [KS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4400 LEEDS AVENUE, SUITE 500  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/30/2018

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

CHARLESTON, SC 29405

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

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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	10/30/2018		M		2,032 A \$ 21.825	24,193	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018		F(1)		1,268 D \$ 34.985	22,925	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018		M		4,098 A \$ 30.41	27,023	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018		F(1)		3,562 D \$ 34.99	23,461	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018		M		4,216 A \$ 31.89	27,677	D

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Common Stock	10/30/2018	F <sup>(1)</sup>	3,844	D	\$ 34.985	23,833	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018	M	4,558	A	\$ 12.72	28,391	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018	F <sup>(1)</sup>	1,658	D	\$ 34.985	26,733	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018	M	5,458	A	\$ 22.195	32,191	D
Common Stock	10/30/2018	F <sup>(1)</sup>	3,464	D	\$ 34.98	28,727	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 Acquired (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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.825	10/30/2018		M	2,032	<u>(2)</u> 08/22/2023	Common Stock	2,032
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.41	10/30/2018		M	4,098	<u>(3)</u> 03/12/2024	Common Stock	4,098
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.89	10/30/2018		M	4,216	<u>(4)</u> 03/26/2025	Common Stock	4,216
Stock Option	\$ 12.72	10/30/2018		M	4,558	<u>(5)</u> 03/18/2026	Common Stock	4,558

(Right to Buy)

Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.195	10/30/2018	M	5,458	03/07/2018 <sup>(6)</sup>	03/07/2027	Common Stock	5,458
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gabriel David G. 4400 LEEDS AVENUE SUITE 500 CHARLESTON, SC 29405	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Timothy W. Schmidt, Attorney-in-Fact	11/01/2018
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

## 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) Represents a "net exercise" of stock options. These shares were withheld for payment of the exercise price and applicable taxes.
- (2) The options vested 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 50% on the third anniversary of the grant date. They were granted on August 22, 2013.
- (3) The options vested 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 50% on the third anniversary of the grant date. They were granted on March 12, 2014.
- (4) The options vested 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 50% on the third anniversary of the grant date. They were granted on March 26, 2015.
- (5) The options vested 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 50% will vest on the third anniversary of the grant date. They were granted on March 18, 2016.
- (6) The options vested 100% on the first anniversary of the grant date. They were granted on March 7, 2017.

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