KINDRED HEALTHCARE, INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Zachariah Jason P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

KINDRED HEALTHCARE, INC [KND]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

08/15/2016

President, KRS

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

680 SOUTH FOURTH STREET

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below)

Issuer

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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D

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

08/15/2016

20,000 A A \$0 40,980 (1)

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					4, and 5)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Zachariah Jason P. 680 SOUTH FOURTH STREET LOUISVILLE, KY 40202

President, KRS

Signatures

Jason Zachariah 08/16/2016

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) These shares represent restricted stock granted to the reporting person. These shares vest in equal annual installments over three years commencing on 8/15/2017.

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