

KINGSWAY FINANCIAL SERVICES INC

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
SWETS LARRY G JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
KINGSWAY FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [KFS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/29/2016

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

KINGSWAY FINANCIAL SERVICES, 150 PIERCE RD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ITASCA, IL 60143

(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2016                           |  | P                              | 300 A \$ 4.73   | 2,062,570 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2016                           |  | P                              | 600 A \$ 4.72   | 2,063,170 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2016                           |  | P                              | 700 A \$ 4.6699   | 2,063,870 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2016                           |  | P                              | 3,100 A \$ 4.64   | 2,066,970 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2016                           |  | P                              | 200 A \$ 4.63   | 2,067,170 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub>   | D  |   |

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Common Stock 04/29/2016 P 100 A \$ 4.62 2,067,270 <sup>(1)</sup> <sub>(2)</sub> 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| SWETS LARRY G JR<br>KINGSWAY FINANCIAL SERVICES<br>150 PIERCE RD<br>ITASCA, IL 60143 | X             |           | President and CEO |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Larry G. Swets, Jr. 05/02/2016

\*\*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).

- (1) Total reflects one-for-four share consolidation effected by the Company on July 3, 2012.
- (2) Includes 1,382,665 restricted common shares under the 2013 Incentive Plan, approved by shareholders in May 2013.

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