

Lee G Scott  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Lee G Scott</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O KRATON                  PERFORMANCE                  POLYMERS, 15710 JOHN F.                  KENNEDY BLVD, SUITE 300</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>HOUSTON, TX 77032</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>01/27/2011</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>Kraton Performance Polymers, Inc. [KRA]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  (give title below) (specify below)                  Vice President of Operations</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	81	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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Options (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	06/19/2018	Common Stock	12,334	\$ 13.512	D	Â
Employee Options (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	01/28/2020	Common Stock	7,500	\$ 13.9	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lee G Scott C/O KRATON PERFORMANCE POLYMERS 15710 JOHN F. KENNEDY BLVD, SUITE 300 HOUSTON, TX 77032	Â	Â	Â Vice President of Operations	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Stephen E. Tremblay as Attorney-in-Fact for G. Scott Lee 02/01/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) 6,167 of the options reported above have vested and are immediately exercisable. The remaining options vest June 19, 2011, subject to the Reporting Person being employed by the Company or its affiliates or subsidiaries on the vesting date.
- (2) 1,500 of the options reported above have vested and are immediately exercisable. The remaining options vest January 28, 2012, January 28, 2013, January 28, 2014 and January 28, 2015, respectively, subject to the Reporting Person being employed by the Company or its affiliates or subsidiaries on the vesting date.

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