FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol KIRBY CORP [ KEX ]					5. R (Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Grzebinski David W</u>				-							2	Directo	r	1	0% Ow	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 55 WAUGH DRIVE, SUITE 1000					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2018						Officer below)	er (give title Other ( w) below)			pecify	
				02							President & CEO					
(Street)				— <del> </del> 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City) (State) (Zip)			_								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ble I - Non-De	rivativ	ve Se	curitie	s Ad	cquired, Di	sposed o	f, or Ber	eficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)		d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indi (I) (Instr. 4	ct li ect E	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
			Table II - Deri (e.g.					quired, Disp s, options,				Owned				
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)	Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/22/2018		A		16,320		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	16,320	\$0	16,320		D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$75.5	02/22/2018		A		26,358		02/22/2021 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/22/2025	Common Stock	26,358	\$0	26,358		D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive cash or one share of common stock of the issuer.
- 2. The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning 1/24/19. Cash or shares of common stock of the issuer, at the election of the issuer, will be delivered to the reporting person on or as soon as practicable after the vesting dates.
- $3.\ Option\ is\ exercisable\ 33\%\ after\ one\ year,\ 67\%\ after\ two\ years\ and\ 100\%\ after\ three\ years\ from\ date\ of\ grant.$

Ronald A. Dragg, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

02/26/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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