FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kehler Dean C</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KCAP Financial, Inc. [KCAP]										all app	nship of Reporting Po applicable) Director		erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KCAP FINANCIAL, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2017										Office below	icer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)	
295 MADISON AVENUE, 6TH FLOOR						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10017														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriva	ative	Se	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	efici	ally (Owne	ed			
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person pursuant to the Company's 2017 Non-Employee Director Plan. Of these shares, 50% vested immediately on the grant date, and the remaining 50% will vest on the earlier of (i) the first anniversary of the grant date or (ii) the date immediately preceding the 2018 annual meeting of the Company's shareholders (or meeting in lieu of the Company's annual meeting of shareholders), and in certain other circumstances.

> /s/ Edward U. Gilpin, as 05/04/2017 attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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