FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 OMB Number: 3235-0287 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Schiller Mark L.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kontoor Brands, Inc. [KTB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) (First) (Middle)				X Director 10% Owner
(Last) 400 N. ELM STR	. ,	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2025	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
(Street) GREENSBORO NC 27401		27401	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(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)			Securities	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/01/2025		Α		2,655	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	15,402.331(1)	D		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible sec	urities)
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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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Numl Derivati Securiti Acquire or Disp (D) (Inst and 5)	ive ies ed (A) osed of	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/)	ate	7. Title and Ar Securities Un Derivative Sec 3 and 4)	derlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

1. Common stock includes restricted stock units.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Thomas L. Doerr, Jr. for Mark</u> <u>L. Schiller (Pursuant to Signing</u> 05)

05/05/2025

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

Authority on File)

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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