FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

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

| affirmative defense 10b5-1(c). See Ins | conditions of Rule truction 10. | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------|--|----------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kartoon Studios, Inc. [TOON] | | ionship of Reporting Person(all applicable) Director | , | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2025 | | Officer (give title below) | 10% Owner Other (specify below) | |
| C/O KARTOON 190 N. CANON | STUDIOS, INC. DRIVE, 4TH FLOOI | ₹ | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv | dual or Joint/Group Filing (C | ng Person | |
| (Street) BEVERLY HILI | .S CA | 90210 | | | Form filed by More than O | ne 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. Transac Code (Ir 8) | | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--|------------------|------------|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (111501.4) | |
| Common Stock | 06/26/2025 | | A | | 6,805 | A | \$0 | 71,403(1) | D | |

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 | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|---|---|------|---|--|-----|--|--------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. On February 6, 2023, the issuer effected a 10-for-1 reverse stock split of the issued and outstanding shares of its common stock (the "2023 Reverse Stock Split"). Upon effectiveness of the 2023 Reverse Stock Split, every 10 shares of voting common stock was automatically converted into 1 share of common stock.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Gray Davis</u> <u>06/30/2025</u>

** 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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