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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. | tr<br>c<br>p<br>is<br>a | heck this box to indicate that a<br>ansaction was made pursuant to a<br>ontract, instruction or written plan for the<br>urchase or sale of equity securities of the<br>suer that is intended to satisfy the<br>ffirmative defense conditions of Rule<br>0b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SICIGNANO HENRY III     (Last)   (First)     (Middle)     C/O KARTOON STUDIOS, INC.     190 N. CANON, 4TH FLOOR |         |                     | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>Kartoon Studios, Inc.</u> [ TOON ] | (Check         | tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>all applicable)                                  |                                       |  |
|--|---------|---------------------|---|----------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|
|  |         | (Middle)            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>07/18/2023                              |                | Director<br>Officer (give title<br>below)   | 10% Owner<br>Other (specify<br>below) |  |
|  |         |                     | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                    | 6. Indivi<br>X | dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che<br>Form filed by One Reporting<br>Form filed by More than One | g Person                              |  |
| (Street)   |         |                     |   |                | Form med by More than One   | e Reporting Ferson                    |  |
| BEVERLY HIL  | LS CA   | 90210               |   |                |   |                                       |  |
| (City)   | (State) | (Zip)               |   |                |   |                                       |  |
|  |         | Table I - Non-Deriv | vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficia                                       | lly Owr        | ned   |                                       |  |

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed 3.   Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) 3.   4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and<br>8) |      |   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership |                                    |   |            |
|---------------------------------|--|--|------|---|--|---|-------------------------|------------------------------------|---|------------|
|                                 |  |  | Code | v | Amount   | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price                   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock                    | 07/18/2023                                 |  | A    |   | 3,185  | A   | \$ <mark>0</mark>       | 3,185                              | D |            |
| Common Stock                    | 09/14/2023                                 |  | A    |   | 3,185  | A   | \$ <mark>0</mark>       | 6,370                              | D |            |

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

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | <br>3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code (Ir<br>8) |   | 5. Num<br>Derivat<br>Securit<br>Acquire<br>or Disp<br>(D) (Ins<br>and 5) | ive<br>ies<br>ed (A)<br>osed of | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | ate                | 7. Title and A<br>Securities U<br>Derivative So<br>(Instr. 3 and | nderlying<br>ecurity                | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
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|  |   |   | Code                            | v | (A)  | (D)                             | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4)   |  |                                       |

Explanation of Responses:

## /s/ Henry Sicignano III

09/27/2023

\*\* 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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