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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Ottensmeyer Patrick J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN [KSU]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN, PO BOX 219335
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 10/29/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive Vice President & CFO

KANSAS CITY, MO 64121-9335
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	10/29/2007		A	5,000 A \$ 0	51,548	D	
Common Stock					140.254	I	By 401(k) & P/S Plan (2)

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

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- Limited Stock Appreciation Rights ("LSARs") are granted in tandem with stock options. LSARs become exercisable only following a change-in-control of the Company in lieu of related options and are exercisable only for cash. LSARs terminate when the related options are exercised or terminated.
- (1) Includes 140.254 shares acquired under the KCS 401(k) and Profit Sharing Plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
 - (2)

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