

KNIGHT L RANDY
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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 *
KNIGHT L RANDY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC
[KNX]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5601 WEST BUCKEYE ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/15/2006

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

PHOENIX, AZ 85043
(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount or Price			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/15/2006		A		\$ 20.05 (1)	6,939,479	I	Trust and Entity

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Table with columns for Derivative Security, Conversion or Exercise, Transaction Date, Deemed Execution Date, Transaction Number, Date Exercisable and Expiration Date, Title and Amount of Underlying Securities, and Price of Derivative Security. Includes sub-columns for V, A, and D.

Reporting Owners

Table with columns for Reporting Owner Name / Address and Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for KNIGHT L RANDY at 5601 WEST BUCKEYE ROAD, PHOENIX, AZ 85043 with a checkmark in the Director column.

Signatures

/s/ Randy Knight 02/23/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).
Each independent director of Knight Transportation, Inc. (?Knight?) may elect to receive shares of Knight common stock in lieu of cash for director?s fees. If an independent director elects to receive Knight stock as his director compensation, Knight issues stock to the
(1) independent directors on February 15 and August 15 of each year as payment of accrued director?s fees for the preceding six month period ending December 31 and June 30, respectively, at the closing market price for such shares as of the trading day prior to issuance. The shares reflected in this Form 4 were shares received by Mr. Knight in lieu of cash for director?s fees.
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