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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Mickle Travis C</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KEMPHARM, INC. 1180 CELEBRATION BOULEVARD, SUITE 103  (Street) CELEBRATION FL 34747  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>KEMPHARM, INC [ KMPH ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President & CEO
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/14/2021	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

**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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	06/14/2021		P		1,500	A	\$14.43	119,507	D	
Common Stock								15,242	I	By Christal M.M. Mickle 2015 Gift Trust dtd 7/21/15, as trustee
Common Stock								9,824	I	By Travis C. Mickle 2015 Dynasty Trust dtd 7/21/15, Christal M.M. Mickle as trustee
Common Stock								7,701	I	By Travis C. Mickle & Christal M.M. Mickle TRS UA 4-30-09 Mickle Family Trust, co-trustee
Common Stock								6,287	D <sup>(1)</sup>	
Common Stock								1,341	I	By Travis C. Mickle & Christal M.M. Mickle TRS UA 4-30-09 TCM Family Trust, co-trustee
Common Stock								1,034	I <sup>(2)</sup>	By Mickle Investments LLC

**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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Held jointly with Christal M.M. Mickle.
2. The Reporting Person and Christal M.M. Mickle are the managing members of Mickle Investments, LLC.

/s/ [Timothy J. Sangiovanni](#),  
[Attorney-in-Fact for Travis C. Mickle](#) 06/14/2021

\*\* 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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