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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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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Larson Blake E | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/</u> NOC] | | tionship of Reporting Per all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) | son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below) | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | · · · · | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | CVP & Pres, Spa | ce Systems | | |
| 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE (Street) | | 'E | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | |
| | | Table I - Non-De | rivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benef | icially C | Dwned | | | |

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Code (Instr. | | | | | Beneficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|---|--------|---------------|-------|--|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |

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

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| 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. Transa Code (8) | | tion Derivative | | 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 | 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 | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Restricted Performance Stock Rights | (1) | 02/12/2020 | | A | | 6,009 ⁽²⁾ | | (1) | (1) | Common Stock | 6,009 | \$0.0000 | 20,399 ⁽³⁾ | D | |
| Restricted Stock Rights | (4) | 02/12/2020 | | Α | | 3,959 | | (4) | (4) | Common Stock | 3,959 | \$0.0000 | 10,073 ⁽⁵⁾ | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each Restricted Performance Stock Right ("RPSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the Issuer's election, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RPSRs vest if the applicable performance metric is satisfied for the relevant measurement period. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

2. These unvested RPSRs were granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/12/20 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22.

3. Total amount includes 6,009 RPSRs granted on 2/12/20 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 7,748 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/21; and 6,642 RPSRs granted on 6/13/18 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/20.

4. Each Restricted Stock Right ("RSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the election of the Issuer's Compensation Committee, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RSRs were granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20. 1,414 of the RSRs will vest on 12/31/21 and 2,515 will vest on 2/12/23.

5. Total anount includes 2,545 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20 that will vest on 2/13/23; 1,414 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20 that will vest on 2/13/22; and 2,831 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 6/13/18 that will vest on 6/13/21.

 /s/ Jennifer C. McGarey,
 02/14/2020

 Attorney-in-Fact
 ** 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).

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