FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ **Brown Marianne** Director 10% Owner NOC] Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE 06/29/2018 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) **FALLS** 22042 X Form filed by One Reporting Person VA **CHURCH** Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Execution Date, Transaction Securities Form: Direct of Indirect if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) (Month/Day/Year Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) J(1) 119(1) Common Stock 06/29/2018 4,079(2) D A \$307.7 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of 3A. Deemed 3. Transaction 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. 11. Nature Derivative Conversion Execution Date Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Ownership of Indirect (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Securities Securities or Exercise if anv Code (Instr. Security Form: Beneficial Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) 8) Securities Underlying Derivative (Instr. 5) Beneficially Direct (D) Ownership Acquired Owned or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

Security

1. Represents shares of common stock deferred into a stock unit account, including dividends, pursuant to the Northrop Grumman 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.

Exercisable

(A) or

of (D)

and 5)

(A) (D)

Disposed

(Instr. 3, 4

2. Represents shares of common stock held in a stock unit account pursuant to the Northrop Grumman 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan.

Code

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact

Security (Instr. 3

Amount Number

Shares

and 4)

Title

Expiration

Date

07/03/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Following

Reported

(Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

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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