

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Simpson Kathryn G</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ [ NOC ]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>Corp VP &amp; General Counsel</b>		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/11/2026</u>					
<u>2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE</u>								
(Street) <u>FALLS CHURCH VA 22042</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)								

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/11/2026		M		1,334.96	A	\$0	2,114.39	D	
Common Stock	02/11/2026		F		461	D	\$678.83	1,653.39	D	

**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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(1)	02/11/2026		A		3,619.96 <sup>(2)</sup>		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	3,619.96	\$0	12,579.96 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Rights	(4)	02/11/2026		A		1,471		(4)	(5)	Common Stock	1,471	\$0	5,555 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(1)	02/11/2026		M			1,334.96	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	1,334.96	\$0	11,245 <sup>(7)</sup>	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).
- The RPSRs acquired include (i) 432.96 vested RPSRs with respect to the measurement period ended 12/31/25 acquired due to settlement of the RPSRs granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("2011 LTISP") on 2/16/23 that resulted in settlement at 148% of the target award; and (ii) 3,187 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2024 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (the "2024 LTISP") on 2/11/26 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/28. A total of 1,334.96 shares were issued in settlement of the 2023 RPSRs with a measurement period that ended 12/31/25, and the target award amount of 902 RPSRs was previously reported in connection with the grant of the 2023 RPSRs.
- Total amount includes (i) 1,334.96 vested RPSRs granted under the 2011 LTISP on 2/16/23 with a measurement period ended on 12/31/25; (ii) 3,774 RPSRs granted under the 2011 LTISP on 2/14/24 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/26; (iii) 4,284 RPSRs granted under the 2024 LTISP on 2/18/25 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/27; and (iv) 3,187 RPSRs granted under the 2024 LTISP on 2/11/26 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/28.
- Each Restricted Stock Right ("RSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares in 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 2024 LTISP on 2/11/26 and will vest on 2/12/29.
- Total amount includes (i) 387 RSRs granted under the 2011 LTISP on 2/16/23 that will vest on 2/17/26; (ii) 1,732 RSRs granted under the 2011 LTISP on 2/14/24 that will vest on 2/16/27; (iii) 1,965 RSRs granted under the 2024 LTISP on 2/18/25 that will vest on 2/18/28; and (iv) 1,471 RSRs granted under 2024 LTISP on 2/11/26 that will vest on 2/12/29.
- Total amount includes (i) 3,774 RPSRs granted under the 2011 LTISP on 2/14/24 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/26; (ii) 4,284 RPSRs granted under the 2024 LTISP on 2/18/25 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/27; and (iii) 3,187 RPSRs granted under the 2024 LTISP on 2/11/26 with a measurement period ending 12/31/28.

**Remarks:**

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

02/13/2026

\*\* 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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