# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

## CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 20, 2008

### **Northrop Grumman Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

1-16411

(Commission File Number)

95-4840775 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

1840 Century Park East, Los Angeles, California 90067

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(310) 553-6262

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 8.01. Other Events

On February 20, 2008, Northrop Grumman Corporation issued a press release announcing that it has called for redemption on April 4, 2008, all of its issued and outstanding shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock. The press release dated February 20, 2008, announcing the redemption is attached as Exhibit 99.1. A summary of the redemption procedures is set forth in the Notice of Redemption of All Outstanding Shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock sent to holders of record of the Series B Convertible Preferred Stock, which is attached as Exhibit 99.2.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Title of Document
99.1	Press release dated February 20, 2008
99.2	Notice of Redemption of All Outstanding Shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock
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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### **Northrop Grumman Corporation**

February 21, 2008

By: /s/ Stephen D. Yslas
Stephen D. Yslas
Corporate Vice President, Secretary and Deputy

General Counsel

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#### **Exhibit Index**

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#### **News Release**

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#### Northrop Grumman Announces Redemption of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock

LOS ANGELES — Feb. 20, 2008 — Northrop Grumman Corporation (NYSE: NOC) today announced that it will redeem all 3.5 million shares of its Series B Convertible Preferred Stock ("Preferred Stock") on April 4, 2008.

On April 4, 2008, each share of Preferred Stock will be redeemed for shares of NOC common stock ("Common Stock") based on the redemption ratio. Under the redemption ratio formula, Preferred Stock holders will receive a number of shares of Common Stock equal to \$100 (the liquidation value of each share of Preferred Stock) plus \$1.536111 (accrued Preferred Stock dividends per share as of April 4, 2008), divided by the average of the closing prices of Common Stock as reported on the NYSE for the five consecutive trading days ending April 2, 2008.

Alternatively, holders of Preferred Stock may exercise their right to convert each share of Preferred Stock into 1.822267 shares of Common Stock at any time prior to 5:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, on April 3, 2008. Preferred Stock holders who elect to convert are not entitled to receive any accrued Preferred Stock dividends. The company will pay a dividend to holders of record of Common Stock as of March 3, 2008, including those who have converted Preferred Stock and are Common Stock holders of record on March 3, 2008.

The redemption ratio for the Preferred Stock cannot be determined until April 2, 2008, but had the redemption taken place on December 31, 2007, each share of Preferred Stock would have been redeemed for 1.261 shares of Common Stock.

The company will pay cash in lieu of any fractional share of Common Stock that results from the conversion or redemption formula.

Preferred Stock holders who have questions about the redemption or conversion of their shares should contact Computershare Trust Company, as Redemption and Conversion Agent, at (800)546-5141 (within the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico) or (781)575-2765 (outside the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico).

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#### Northrop Grumman Announces Redemption of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock

Official notice of the redemption and a letter of transmittal for redemption or conversion of the Preferred Stock will be sent shortly to all Preferred Stock holders of record as of the close of business on February 20, 2008. Certificates, together with a completed and executed letter of transmittal, should be surrendered to Computershare Trust Company at the following address:

If By Mail: Computershare Trust Company, N.A. Attention: Corporate Actions P.O. Box 43011 Providence, RI 02940-3011 If By Overnight Courier: Computershare Trust Company, N.A. Attention: Corporate Actions 250 Royall Street Canton, MA 02021

Northrop Grumman Corporation is a \$32 billion global defense and technology company whose 120,000 employees provide innovative systems, products, and solutions in information and services, electronics, aerospace and shipbuilding to government and commercial customers worldwide.

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#### NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORPORATION

#### NOTICE OF REDEMPTION OF ALL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF SERIES B CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCK CUSIP NUMBER 666807300

Northrop Grumman Corporation (the "Company") has elected to redeem on April 4, 2008 (the "Redemption Date") all of its outstanding shares of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Preferred Stock") pursuant to Section 4 of the Certificate of Designations, Preferences and Rights of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Certificate of Designations"). This Notice of Redemption and the enclosed Letter of Transmittal (the "Letter of Transmittal") are being mailed on February 21, 2008 to all holders of record of the Preferred Stock as of the close of business on February 20, 2008. Our records indicate that you currently hold shares of Preferred Stock. If you hold shares in certificate form, those certificates <u>must be returned</u> in order to process the shares of Preferred Stock represented by the certificates for redemption or, if you so elect, for conversion into shares of the Company's Common Stock, par value \$1.00 (the "Common Stock"). The terms of the redemption are summarized below, along with the terms of conversion.

You should refer to the Certificate of Designations for a complete description of your rights. Terms not defined in this Notice have the meanings assigned to them in the Certificate of Designations. Computershare, the Company's Transfer Agent, is also serving as redemption agent and conversion agent for the Company.

#### **Redemption Terms:**

On the Redemption Date, each share of Preferred Stock will be redeemed for shares of Common Stock based on the redemption ratio. The redemption ratio is calculated as follows: holders of shares of Preferred Stock will receive the number of shares of Common Stock equal to the Liquidation Value plus all accrued and unpaid dividends with respect to such shares, whether or not declared, to the Redemption Date, divided by the Current Market Price of the Common Stock as of the Redemption Date. The Liquidation Value of each share of Preferred Stock, determined according to the Certificate of Designations, will be \$100.00 on the Redemption Date. The accrued and unpaid dividend on each share of Preferred Stock to the Redemption Date will be \$1.536111. The Current Market Price on the Redemption Date will be the average of the closing prices per share of Common Stock for the five (5) consecutive trading days ending two (2) trading days prior to the Redemption Date. On the Redemption Date, the Preferred Stock will be deemed to cease to be outstanding and dividends on the Preferred Stock will cease to accrue. For redemption of your shares of Preferred Stock, send your certificates, if any and the properly completed and executed Letter of Transmittal to Computershare. Any shares of Preferred Stock not surrendered for redemption shall be deemed to be redeemed on the Redemption Date.

The redemption ratio for the redemption of the Preferred Stock cannot be determined until April 2, 2008, which is two (2) business days prior to the Redemption Date when the Current Market Price will be known. If the redemption had taken place on December 31, 2007, each share of Preferred Stock would have been redeemed for 1.261 shares of Common Stock.

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#### **Conversion Terms:**

As of the date of this Notice of Redemption, each share of Preferred Stock is convertible into 1.822267 shares of Common Stock, in accordance with Section 8 of the Certificate of Designations. The right of holders of Preferred Stock to exercise their conversion right shall terminate on April 3, 2008, unless the Company defaults on the Redemption. Holders of Preferred Stock who elect to convert their shares into shares of Common Stock will not be entitled to any accrued and unpaid dividends on the Preferred Stock. The Company will pay a Common Stock dividend to holders of record of Common Stock as of March 3, 2008, including Preferred Stock holders who convert shares of Preferred Stock into Common Stock and hold such Common Stock of record on March 3, 2008. If you wish to convert your shares of Preferred Stock into Common Stock, Computershare must receive any certificates you hold representing shares of Preferred Stock and the properly completed and executed Letter of Transmittal by close of business (5:00 P.M., Eastern Daylight Time), on April 3, 2008, which is the last business day prior to the Redemption Date.

**Fractional Shares.** The Company will not issue any fractional share of Common Stock to a holder of Preferred Stock upon conversion or redemption, and will pay cash in lieu of any fractional share of Common Stock that results from the conversion or redemption formula.

**Beneficial Owners.** Any beneficial owner whose shares of Preferred Stock are registered in the name of a broker, dealer, commercial bank, trust company or other nominee should contact them to have their shares processed.

Holders of shares of the Preferred Stock, who wish to either redeem or convert, should surrender their share certificates, if any, <u>and</u> a properly completed and executed copy of the enclosed Letter of Transmittal, to Computershare at the following address:

If By Mail:
Computershare Trust Company, N.A.
Attention: Corporate Actions
P.O. Box 43011
Providence, RI 02940-3011

If By Overnight Courier: Computershare Trust Company, N.A. Attention: Corporate Action 250 Royall Street Canton, MA 02021

The manner of delivery of any Preferred Stock certificates and the Letter of Transmittal is at your discretion and risk; however, we suggest transmittal by insured, registered mail.

#### **Northrop Grumman Corporation**

Dated: February 21, 2008

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS NOTICE OF REDEMPTION AND THE ENCLOSED LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL, PLEASE CALL COMPUTERSHARE AT (800)546-5141 (WITHIN THE U.S., CANADA and PUERTO RICO), OR (781)575-2765 (OUTSIDE THE U.S., CANADA AND PUERTO RICO)