FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FAZIO VIC					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle)				2	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecity	
1840 CENTURY PARK EAST					05/21/2004												
(Street)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
LOS ANGELES 90067											X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)			(Zip)									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				ting	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				. Transactio Date Month/Day/Y	ear) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Instr. 5)				Beneficia Owned F	es Form ally (D) of Following (I) (II		Direct of Indirect ftr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	r Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			Instr. 4)		
		-	Table II - De (e.					quired, Dis s, options,				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		tive ties ed sed 3, 4	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 derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	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						
Stock Option (right-to- buy)	\$100.05	05/21/2004	05/21/2004	4 A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,500		05/21/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/21/2014	Common Stock	1,500	\$100.05	1,500		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Grant of option to buy shares of common stock under the Northrop Grumman 1995 Stock Option Plan for Non-Employee Directors in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.
- 2. Grant is fully vested on grant date.

Kathleen M. Salmas, Attorneyin-fact for Vic Fazio

\*\* 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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