FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FLACH GLORIA A					NC	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2016								X Officer (give title Other (specibelow) CVP & Chief Operating Officer)``	
(Street) FALLS CHURCI (City)			22042 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y						Execution Date,		ate,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				and 5) Secu Bene		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/05/20					016			S		3,769(1)	D	\$218	.78(2) 6		1,811.5	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 Security 2. 3. Transaction Date Executio if any (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security							6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$218.78 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$219.02 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$218.36. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote in this Form 4.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact 08/08/2016

** 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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