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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person     CHESTON SHEILA C.					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  X Officer (give title Other (specify below))					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2014								below) below) Corp. VP & General Counsel						
(Street) FALLS CHURCH	V.	Α.	4. If An			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2014							Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)		41	•												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. T		2. Transa Date	nsaction 2A. Deemed Execution Da		Deemed 3. cution Date, Transaction		nction			) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v .	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		02/19/	9/2014			М		21,436(1)	A	\$0.0000	56,385			D				
Common S	ommon Stock		02/19/	2014			M		4,510(2)	A	\$63.22	60,895		D				
Common S	Stock			02/19/	2014			F		10,910(3)	D	\$119.05 49,985 D		D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	rivative Conversion Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Ye		3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code (Instr.				d (Month/Day/Year) Un		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numborderivative Securities Beneficial Owned Followin	re es ally	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	t Report Transa r (Instr. 4		ed ction(s)			
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(4)	02/19/2014		A		21,853 <sup>(5)</sup>			(4)	(4)	Common Stock	21,853	\$0.0000	86,07:	5 <sup>(6)</sup>	D		
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(4)	02/19/2014		М			21,436 <sup>(1)</sup>	)	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	21,436	\$0.0000	64,639	9 <sup>(7)</sup>	D		
Restricted Stock Rights	(8)	02/19/2014		A		5,796			(8)	(8)	Common Stock	5,796	\$0.0000	38,422	2 <sup>(9)</sup>	D		
Stock Option (Right-to-	\$63.22	02/19/2014		М			4,510		(10)	02/15/2018	Common Stock	4,510	\$0.0000	0.000	00	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares issued in settlement of Restricted Performance Stock Rights ("RPSRs") granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (the "2001 LTISP") on 2/15/11 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ended 12/31/13. The RPSRs were settled at 159% of target.
- 2. Transaction previously reported by the Reporting Person on Form 4 filed 2/20/14.
- 3. Shares surrendered to issuer in payment of tax liability in connection with settlement of RPSRs in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).
- 4. 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).
- 5. The RPSRs acquired include (i) 7,954 additional vested RPSRs with respect to the measurement period ended 12/31/13 acquired due to settlement of the 2011RPSRs held at 159% of the target award and (ii) 13,899 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/19/14 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/16.
- 6. Total amount includes 21,436 vested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ended 12/31/13; 13,899 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/19/14 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/16; 25,103 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; and 25,637 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14.
- 7. Total amount includes 13,899 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/19/14 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/16; 25,103 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; and 25,637 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14.
- 8. Each Restricted Stock Right ("RSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of 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 LTISP on 2/19/14 and will vest on 2/19/17.
- 9. Total amount includes 5,796 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/19/14 that will vest on 2/19/17; 9,085 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 that will vest on 2/20/16; 10,059 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 that will vest on 2/15/15; and 13,482 RSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 that will vest on 2/15/15.
- 10. The option vests over a period of three years to the extent of one-third (33%) annual equal installments on 2/15/12, 2/15/13 and 2/15/14.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, 02/21/2014 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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