FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* YSLAS STEPHEN D | | | | N | 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 Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | | | | |
|--|---|----------------------|--|---------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|-----|--|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| (Last) 1840 CE | | (First) PARK EAST | (Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2010 | | | | | | | | Corp. VP & General Counsel | | | | | |
| (Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90067 | | | | _ 4. I _ | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Person | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Date) | | | | | Execution Date, | | Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. | | s Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | 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 | Transactio | | | | (1130.4) | |
| Common Stock 02/16/20 | | | | | 5/2010 | 010 | | | F | | 4,116 | D | \$59.56 | 76,135(1) | |] | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/16/2 | | | | | /2010 | 010 | | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 1,560 | D ⁽²⁾ | \$59.56 | 74,575 ⁽¹⁾ | |] | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/16/20 | | | | | /2010 | 010 | | A | | 16,750 | A | \$59.56 | 91,32 | 91,325 ⁽³⁾ | | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 3,427.839 | | | | See footnote. ⁽⁴⁾ | | | |
| | | | Table II | | | | | | | | oosed of, convertib | | | Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversio or Exercis Price of Derivative Security | e (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da | n Date, | 4. Transa Code (8) | | n of | | 6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea | | te | 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. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr. | Beneficial Ownership et (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | able | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | |
| Stock Option (Right-to- Buy) | \$59.56 | 02/16/2010 | | | A | | 70,900 | | 02/16/20 | 11 ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/16/2017 | Common Stock | 70,900 | \$0.00 | 70,9 | 70,900 | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Total amount includes 8,150 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (LTISP) on 2/27/08 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/10; 7,000 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 1/1/09 with measurement period ending on 12/31/10; and 15,850 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 1/1/09 with measurement period ending on 12/31/11. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- 2. The measurement period for this installment of Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) ended on 12/31/09, and the decrease in the number of shares represent a payout below the target for the 2009 performance period.
- 3. Total amount includes 8,150 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (LTISP) on 2/27/08 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/10; 7,000 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 1/1/09 with measurement period ending on 12/31/10; 15,850 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 1/1/09 with measurement period ending on 12/31/12. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- 4. Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan, a qualified profit sharing plan, as of January 29, 2010. Share totals with respect to the Plan are based upon unit accounting and therefore may reflect a decrease in units attributable to an individual though no disposition occurred.
- 5. The option vests over a period of three years to the extent of one-third (33%) annual equal installments on 2/16/11, 2/16/12 and 2/16/13.

/s/ Kathleen M. Salmas, Attorney-in-fact for Stephen D. 02/18/2010

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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