FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
BUSH WESLEY G												X	Director		10%	Owner
(Last)	(First) (Middle)					NOC 1							Officer (below)	give title	Othe belo	r (specify v)
2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2012							Chmn., CEO and Pres.				
(Street) FALLS CHURCH VA 22042				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line)	form filed by More than One Reporting 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Zip)									Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				Transaction ate Month/Day/	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)					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			(11150.4)		
			Table II - De					ired, Dis					wned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Execution (Month/Day/Year) if any	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	action (Instr.	Derivativ Securitie Acquired or Dispo- of (D) (In	Derivative I		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 of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(Owners Form: y Direct (or Indi (I) (Inst	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	11(5)	
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(1)	02/15/2012		A		102,546		(1)		(1)	Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	102,546	\$0	289,892 ⁽²	2) D	
Restricted Stock Rights	(3)	02/15/2012		A		40,235		(3)		(3)	Common Stock ⁽³⁾	40,235	\$0	107,650 ⁽⁴	4) D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each Restricted Performance Stock Right ("RPSR") 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 RPSRs vest if the applicable performance metric is satisfied for the three-year performance period ending December 31, 2014.
- 2. Total amount includes 102,546 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/15/12 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/14; 119,931 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("2001 LTISP") on 2/16/10 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/12; and 67,415 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/13. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- 3. 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 2/15/12 and will vest on 2/15/15.
- 4. Total amount includes 40,235 unvested RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 that will vest on 2/15/15; and 67,415 RSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 that will vest on 2/15/15. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-fact for Wesley G. 02/17/2012 Bush

** 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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