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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* Perry David T							er Name and THROP						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013 CVP Chief Global Bus Dev Off														
(Street) FALLS CHURCH	H VA 22042			4.	. If Am	endment, D	ate of (Origina	l Filed ((Month/Da		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person							
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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		Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar				nd 5) Securities Beneficially Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common S	tock			02/20	02/20/2013				M		18,904	(1)	A S	\$0.0000	20,820		D		
Common Stock (02/20	0/201	13			F		8,021	(2)	D	\$66.04 12,79		9	9 D			
Common Stock														470.52	26]		Held in Northrop Grumman Financial Gecurity nd Gavings Program(3)	
Common Stock														4,073.2	263	1		Held in Northrop Grumman Savings & nvestment Plan ⁽⁴⁾	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Da		Date, Transaction Code (Instr					red (Month/D				of Securi Underlyin	ng e Security	Derivative Security	9. Num derivat Securi Benefi Owned Follow	tive ties cially I	10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)
	Security			Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)		ate kercisal	Expir ole Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Report	ted action(s)	(I) (INSTR. 4	4)
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(5)	02/20/2013		1	A		29,534 ⁽⁶⁾			(5)		5)	Common Stock	29,534	\$0.0000 55,		508 ⁽⁷⁾ D		
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(5)	02/20/2013		1	M			18,904	1 (1)	(5)	()	5)	Common Stock	18,904	\$0.0000	36,6	604 ⁽⁸⁾	D	
Restricted Stock Rights	(9)	02/20/2013			A		7,268			(9)	(9	9)	Common	7,268	\$66.04	13,5	57 ⁽¹⁰⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- es issued in settlement of Restricted Performance Stock Rights ("RPSRs") granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (the "2001 LTISP") on 2/16/10 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ended 12/31/12. The RPSRs were settled at 200% of target.
- 2. Shares surrendered to issuer in payment of tax liability in connection with settlement of RPSRs in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).
- 3. Held in the Northrop Grumman Financial Security and Savings Program (the "FSSP Plan"), a qualified profit sharing plan, as of February 20, 2013. 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.
- 4. Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan (the "Plan"), a qualified profit sharing plan, as of February 20, 2013. 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. 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).
- 6. The RPSRs acquired include (i) 9,452 additional vested RPSRs with respect to the measurement period ended 12/31/12 acquired due to settlement of the 2010 RPSRs held at 200% of the target award and (ii) 20,082 $unvested\ RPSRs\ granted\ under\ the\ 2011\ Long-Term\ Incentive\ Stock\ Plan\ ("LTISP")\ on\ 2/20/13\ with\ a\ measurement\ period\ ending\ on\ 12/31/15.$
- 7. Total amount includes 18,904 vested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/16/10 with a measurement period ended on 12/31/12; 20,082 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; 6,612 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14; and 9,910 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/13.
- 8. Total amount includes 20,082 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; 6,612 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14; and 9,910 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/13.
- 9. 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 2/20/13 and will vest on 2/20/16.

10. Total amount includes 7,268 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 that will vest on 2/20/16; 3,455 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 7/19/12 that will vest on 7/19/15; and 2,834 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 that will vest on 2/15/15.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact 02/22/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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