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* PETERS AULANA L							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC ]								all applic	-	g Perso	n(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2013									below)			below)	specify
(Street) FALLS CHURC	H V	A 22042				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								G. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Appl Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					n
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I -	Non-Deri	vativ	e Sec	uriti	ies A	cquir	ed, D	isposed (	of, or I	Benefic	ially	Owned	I			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ate,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			Benefic		ies ially Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				10/28/20	)13			M		3,000	A	\$50.	.55		3,377		D		
Common	Stock			10/28/20	013				S		3,000	D	\$108.19	946(1)	20,377 <sup>(2)</sup>			D	
Common Stock																3,238		I :	Held in the Peters Family Trust.
		7	able								sposed of				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any		4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expir	te Exer ation D th/Day/		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	wnership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
Stock Option (Right-to-	\$50.55	10/28/2013			M			3,000	(	(3)	05/20/2015	Comm Stock		0 \$	0.0000	281		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$108.19 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$108.24 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$108.18. 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.
- 2. Amount includes (i) 6,334 shares of common stock; and (ii) 14,043 shares of common stock held in a stock unit account pursuant to the Northrop Grumman 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan and the 1993 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- 3. The remaining 281 options are fully vested.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, 10/30/2013 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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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