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*  PETTERS C MICHAEL					<u>N</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director     10% Owner							
(Last) 1840 CE	(F NTURY PA	,	, , ,					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2008								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Corp. VP & Pres. Shipbuilding					
(Street) LOS AN (City)	GELES CA 90067 (State) (Zip)					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 Person							
		Tal	ole I - No	n-Deri	ivativ	re Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	sposed of	f, or Ber	neficiall	y Owned							
Dat			2. Trans Date (Month/		ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed C		es 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					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and		l lins		(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 02/27/					7/2008	2008			A		13,000	A	\$80.82	98,037(1)		D					
Common Stock												979.2	201		I I	See footnote. <sup>(2)</sup>					
			Table II								osed of, convertib			Owned		,					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		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(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	ole	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								
Stock Option (Right-to-	\$80.82	02/27/2008			A		59,550		02/27/200	g <sup>(3)</sup>	02/27/2015	Common Stock	59,550	\$0.00	59,5	550	D				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Total includes 20,000 Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (LTISP) on 2/15/06, with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/08; 18,000 RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/28/07, with the measurement period ending on 12/31/09; 12,500 unvested Restricted Stock Rights ("RSRs") granted on 1/15/08, with 100% vesting on 1/15/11, and 13,000 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/27/08, with measurement period ending on 12/31/10. RPSR grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3f(d): and RSR grants awarded pur
- 2. Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan, a qualified profit sharing plan, as of January 28, 2008. 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.
- 3. The option vests over a period of three years to the extent of one-third (33%) annual equal installments on 2/27/09, 2/27/10 and 2/27/11.

/s/ Kathleen M. Salmas,

Attorney-in-fact for C. Michael 02/29/2008

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\*\* 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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