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* Felsinger Donald E |   |                                |  |                       | <u>N(</u>   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC ] |  |   |                            |  |                        |   |                    | 5. Relationship of Reporti<br>(Check all applicable)<br>X Director |                |   | ng Person(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner                               |                                       |
|   |   |                                |  |                       |   |   |  |   |                            |  |                        |   |                    |  | Offic<br>belov | er (give title  | Othe<br>belov   | r (specify                            |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE            |   |                                |  |                       |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/03/2016                         |  |   |                            |  |                        |   |                    |  | belo           | vv)   | belov   | •)                                    |
| (Street)  |   |                                |  |                       | 4. 11   | f Amend   | dment,   | Date                                    | of Origi                   | nal Fi   | led (Month/Da          | ay/Year)  |                    |  | ividual o      | r Joint/Grou  | p Filing (Check   | Applicable                            |
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| (City)  | (St   | ate) (                         | Zip)                                       |                       |   |   |  |   |                            |  |                        |   |                    |  | Pers           |   |   | , , ,                                 |
|   |   | Tabl                           | e I - N                                    | lon-Deriv             | ative   | Seci  | urities  | s Ac                                    | quire                      | d, D   | isposed o              | f, or E   | Benefi             | cially   | Owne           | ed  |   |                                       |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)                             |   |                                | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                       | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |                            | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an |                        |   | nd 5)              | Beneficially<br>Owned Following                                    |                | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership               |                                       |
|   |   |                                |  |                       |   |   | Code   | v                                       | Amount                     | (A) or<br>(D)  | Price                  | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  |                    | ction(s)   |                | (Instr. 4)  |   |                                       |
| Common Stock  |   |                                | 06/03/2016                                 |                       |   |   |  | S                                       |                            | 770  | D                      | \$215   | .76 <sup>(1)</sup> | 0.0000   |                | I   | Held in<br>Courtney<br>Strickland<br>Trust                        |                                       |
| Common Stock  |   |                                | 06/03/2016                                 |                       |   |   |  | S                                       |                            | 1,550  | D                      | \$215   | 5.7 <sup>(2)</sup> | 0.0000   |                | I   | Held in<br>Gregory<br>Felsinger<br>Trust                          |                                       |
| Common Stock  |   |                                | 06/03/2016                                 |                       |   |   |  | S                                       |                            | 1,550  | D                      | \$215   | .64 <sup>(3)</sup> | 0.   | .0000          | I   | Held in<br>Michael<br>Felsinger<br>Trust                          |                                       |
| Common Stock  |   |                                | 06/03/2016                                 |                       |   |   |  | S                                       |                            | 770  | D                      | \$215   | .67(4)             | 0.   | .0000          | I   | Held in<br>Stephanie<br>Strickland<br>Trust                       |                                       |
| Common Stock  |   |                                |  |                       |   |   |  |   |                            |  |                        |   |                    |  | 3              | 2,837   | D   |                                       |
|   |   | Та                             | ble II                                     | - Derivat<br>(e.g., p | ive S<br>uts, c   | ecuri   | ities <i>F</i><br>warra  | Acqı<br>ınts                            | uired,<br>, optic          | Dis <sub> </sub>   | posed of,<br>convertib | or Be   | neficia<br>curitie | ally O<br>s)   | wned           |   |   |                                       |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)         | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | on Date<br>se (Month/Day/Year) | Execut<br>if any                           |                       |   | action<br>(Instr.   | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |   | 6. Date<br>Expira<br>(Mont | tion [   |                        | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>and 4) |                    |  |                |   | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$215.76 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.80 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.73. 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.

Date

Exercisable

Expiration

Title

- 2. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$215.70 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.699 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.695. 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.
- 3. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$215.64 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.65 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.64. 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.
- 4. Represents the weighted average sale price of \$215.67 rounded to the nearest hundredth. The highest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.70 and the lowest price at which the shares were sold was \$215.67. 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.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact

Number

Shares

06/07/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Code

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