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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* KRAPEK KARL J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
				NO	NOC]									X	Direc			6 Owner	
(Last)	(Fi	ret) (Middle)													Offic	er (give title v)	Oth bel	er (specify ow)
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2015											,		,	
(Street) FALLS	. VA	<u> </u>	22042		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
CHURCH VA 22042															Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)		-											Pers	on		
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,					ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and 5) Se Be Ov		ount of ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 09			09/30	9/30/2015				J (1)		528(1)		A	\$165.95		5 26,173 ⁽²⁾		D		
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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/D	Date, Transa Code (of		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		nstr. 3	Deri Secu	rice of ivative curity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares of common stock deferred into a stock unit account, including dividends, pursuant to the Northrop Grumman 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.

2. Amount includes (i) 4,304 shares of common stock; and (ii) 21,869 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.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact 10/02/2015

** 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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