FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HERNANDEZ WILLIAM H | | | | | NC | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC] | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--------|-------|---------|---|--|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|-------------------------|--|---|-------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2014 | | | | | | | | | | Offic belov | er (give title w) | | Other (elow) | specify | |
| (Street) FALLS CHURCI | H VA | Δ 2 | 22042 | | 4. If | 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 | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) (| Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | | Execution Date, | | Date, | Transaction Disposed (| | | ties Acquired (A) I 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) | ect rect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A (I | A) or D) | Price | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111311. 4) | | |
| Common Stock 12/3 | | | | | /2014 | | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 226(1) | | A | \$147.39 | | 39 2,346 ⁽²⁾ | | D | | |
| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | erivative Conversion Date Execution Date ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | | n Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 5. Nui of Derivi Secui Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5 | ative rities ired osed | 6. Date I Expirati (Month/I | on Dat | e Amou Secur Under Deriva Secur | | 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 Transactions (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (D) rect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | able | Expiration Date | Title | of | mber ares | | | | | | | |

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) 1,000 shares of common stock; and (ii) 1,346 shares of common stock held in a stock unit account pursuant to the Northrop Grumman 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan.

/s/ Jennifer C. McGarey,

01/05/2015

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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