FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Jones Christopher T						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC ]									5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give titl		10% Owner Other (spec		Owner (specify
(Last) 2980 FAI	(Fi RVIEW PA	rst) ( LRK DRIVE	(Middle) RIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2017									Corp VP & Pres Tech Svcs				,
(Street) FALLS CHURCI (City)			22042 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ciall	y Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Da			Transaction		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)					es ially Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect estr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	•	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111511. 4)
Common	Stock			03/01/2	2017				S		240(1)	D	\$24	18.7	61,92	25.649	D		
Common Stock															1,644.2048			I	Held in Northrop Grumman Savings & Investment Plan <sup>(2)</sup>
		Та	ble 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)	Execution if any			ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Exercion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ve ies ially ng ed ction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Code		Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	of Shares								

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan (the "Plan"), a qualified profit sharing plan, as of March 1, 2017. 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.

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

03/03/2017

\*\* 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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