## FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SHARER KEVIN W					NO	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ NOC ]									ck all app Direc	tor		10%	Owner	
(Last) 1840 CE	(I NTURY P	First)	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2006									belov			Other below	(specify
(Street) LOS AN (City)	GELES (	CA State)		00067 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution Da		Date, Transact Code (In			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 an	d 5)	Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 01				01/27/2	2006	06		J <sup>(1)</sup>		117(1)	A	\$55.1	4 <sup>(2)</sup>	2,	2,411		D			
Common Stock					01/27/2	01/27/2006				J <sup>(3)</sup>		584 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$55.1	L <b>4</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	3,242 <sup>(4)</sup>			T I	See footnote. <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock 01/27					01/27/2	006				J <sup>(3)</sup>		584 <sup>(3)</sup>	A	\$55.	\$55.14		2,995		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)	ivative curity or Exercise Price of Derivative Security    Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security   Date (Month/Day/Year)   Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)   8		4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	rities ired r osed ) : 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		-		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares distributed pursuant to the 1993 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- 2. Price is based on average FMV for 12 months ended 12/31/2005 rounded up to the nearest tenth.
- 3. Distribution of shares pursuant to the 1993 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors from stock unit account into which shares had previously been deferred. This transaction is exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-
- 4. Represents shares of common stock held in a stock unit account pursuant to the 1993 Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3.

/s/ Kathleen M. Salmas,

Attorney-in-fact for Kevin W. 01/31/2006

Sharer

\*\* 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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