

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>BUSH WESLEY G</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 2980 FAIRVIEW PARK DRIVE  (Street) FALLS CHURCH VA 22042  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ [ NOC ]</u>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</b> (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman, CEO and President
	<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</b> 02/20/2013	
	<b>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b>	<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/20/2013		M		191,889 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$0.0000	191,889	D	
Common Stock	02/20/2013		F		91,530 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$66.04	100,359	D	
Common Stock								40,000	I	Held in Bush Trust No 1 2012 Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock								40,000	I	Held in Bush Trust No 2 2012 Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock								40,000	I	Held in Bush Trust No 3 2012 Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock								5,067.834	I	Held in Northrop Grumman Savings & Investment Plan <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock								223,226	I	Held in WG&NF Bush Family Trust

**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(4)	02/20/2013		A		172,369 <sup>(5)</sup>		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	172,369	\$0.0000	462,261 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(4)	02/20/2013		M			191,889 <sup>(1)</sup>	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	191,889	\$0.0000	270,372 <sup>(7)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Rights	(8)	02/20/2013		A		36,342		(8)	(8)	Common Stock	36,342	\$66.04	143,992 <sup>(9)</sup>	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Shares issued in settlement of Restricted Performance Stock Rights ("RPSRs") granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (the "2001 LTISP") on 2/16/10 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ended 12/31/12. The RPSRs were settled at 160% of target.
- Shares surrendered to issuer in payment of tax liability in connection with settlement of RPSRs in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).
- Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan, a qualified profit sharing plan, as of February 20, 2013. 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.

4. Each Restricted Performance Stock Right ("RPSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the Issuer's election, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RPSRs vest if the applicable performance metric is satisfied for the relevant measurement period. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

5. The RPSRs acquired include (i) 71,958 additional vested RPSRs with respect to the measurement period ended 12/31/12 acquired due to settlement of the 2010 RPSRs held at 160% of the target award and (ii) 100,411 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15.

6. Total amount includes 191,889 vested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/16/10 with a measurement period ended on 12/31/12; 100,411 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; 102,546 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14; and 67,415 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/13.

7. Total amount includes 100,411 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/15; 102,546 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/14; and 67,415 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/13.

8. Each Restricted Stock Right ("RSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the election of the Issuer's Compensation Committee, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RSRs were granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 and will vest on 2/20/16.

9. Total amount includes 36,342 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/20/13 that will vest on 2/20/16; 40,235 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/12 that will vest on 2/15/15; and 67,415 RSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/15/11 that will vest on 2/15/15.

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

02/22/2013

\*\* 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).

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