

PITTS JAMES F  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PITTS JAMES F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/ [NOC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Corp VP & Pres, Electron. Sys.

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1840 CENTURY PARK EAST  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/15/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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	02/15/2011		F		6,439	D	\$ 69.14
Common Stock	02/15/2011		A		15,409	A	\$ 69.14
Common Stock	02/15/2011		A		15,409	A	\$ 69.14

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 69.14	02/15/2011		A	65,568	02/15/2012 <sup>(4)</sup>	02/15/2018			Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PITTS JAMES F 1840 CENTURY PARK EAST LOS ANGELES, CA 90067			Corp VP & Pres, Electron. Sys.	

## Signatures

/s/ Kathleen M. Salmas, Attorney-in-fact for James F. Pitts

02/17/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) Total amount includes 21,900 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/17/09 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/11; and 31,600 RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/16/10 with the measurement period ending on 12/31/12. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

(2) Total amount includes 21,900 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/17/09 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/11; 31,600 RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/16/10 with the measurement period ending on 12/31/12; and 15,409 RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/15/11 with the measurement period ending on 12/31/13. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

(3) Total amount includes 21,900 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/17/09 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending on 12/31/11; and 31,600 RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/16/10 with the measurement period ending on 12/31/12; 15,409 RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 12/15/11 with the measurement period ending on 12/31/13; and 15,409 Restricted Stock Rights ("RSRs") granted under the LTISP on 2/15/11 and cliff vests 100% on the fourth anniversary from the grant date on 2/15/15. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

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(4) The option vests over a period of three years to the extent of one-third (33%) annual equal installments on 2/15/12, 2/15/13 and 2/15/14.

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