

ERVIN GARY W.
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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 *
ERVIN GARY W.

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/16/2010

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ 10% Owner
_____ Other (specify below)
Corp VP & Pres Aerospace Sys

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/16/2010		F	6,555 D \$ 59.56	54,399.5 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	02/16/2010		J ⁽²⁾	2,275 D ⁽²⁾ \$ 59.56	52,124.5 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	02/16/2010		A	31,600 A \$ 59.56	83,724.5 ⁽³⁾	D	
Common Stock					5,453.13	I	See footnote. ⁽⁴⁾

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 Instrument (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Option (Option-to-Buy)	\$ 59.56	02/16/2010		A	133,600	02/16/2011 ⁽⁵⁾ 02/16/2017	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ERVIN GARY W. 1840 CENTURY PARK EAST LOS ANGELES, CA 90067			Corp VP & Pres Aerospace Sys	

Signatures

Kathleen M. Salmas, Attorney-in-fact for Gary W. Ervin
 Signature: _____ Date: 02/19/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Total amount includes 11,400 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (LTISP) on 2/27/08 with the valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending 12/31/10; and 21,900 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/17/09, with measurement period ending on 12/31/11. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

(2) The measurement period for this installment of Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) ended on 12/31/09, and the decrease in the number of shares represent a payout below the target for the 2009 performance period.

(3) Total amount includes 11,400 unvested Restricted Performance Stock Rights (RPSRs) granted under the 2001 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan (LTISP) on 2/27/08 with the valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") ending 12/31/10; 21,900 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/17/09, with measurement period ending on 12/31/11; and 31,600 unvested RPSRs granted under the 2001 LTISP on 2/16/10, with measurement period ending on 12/31/12. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

(4) Held in the Northrop Grumman Savings and Investment Plan, a qualified profit sharing plan, as of January 29, 2010. 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.

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(5) The option vests over a period of three years to the extent of one-third (33%) annual equal installments on 2/16/11, 2/16/12 and 2/16/13.

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