

NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORP /DE/  
Form 8-K  
October 26, 2016

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
FORM 8-K  
CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)  
October 26, 2016  
Northrop Grumman Corporation  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE                      1-16411              80-0640649  
(State or Other Jurisdiction   (Commission   (IRS Employer  
of Incorporation)              File Number)   Identification No.)

2980 Fairview Park Drive, Falls Church, VA 22042  
(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)  
(703) 280-2900  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On October 26, 2016, Northrop Grumman Corporation issued an earnings release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2016, under the heading “Northrop Grumman Reports Third Quarter 2016 Financial Results.” The earnings release is furnished as Exhibit 99.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits

Furnished

Exhibit 99 — Earnings Release dated October 26, 2016

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Signature(s)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Northrop Grumman Corporation  
(Registrant)

October 26, 2016 By: /s/ Jennifer C. McGarey  
(Signature)

(Date) Jennifer C. McGarey  
Corporate Vice President and Secretary

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Exhibit 99 Furnished — Earnings Release dated October 26, 2016