#### NORTHERN TRUST CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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**SECURITIES** 

See Instruction 1(b).

obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

FRADKIN STEVEN L

				NORTHERN TRUST CORP [NTRS]					(Check all applicable)		
				te of Earliest Transaction th/Day/Year) 0/2016				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President/Wealth Management			
(Street) 4. If Ame			nendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
CHICAGO, IL 60603				Filed(Mo	iled(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ 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										lly Owned	
1.Title Securi (Instr.	ity	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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)
Com Stock		11/10/2016			M	20,124	A	\$ 63.36	68,752 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Com Stock		11/10/2016			S(2)	20,124	D	\$ 77.95	48,628 (1)	D	
Com Stock									94,972 (3)	I	By Trust
Com Stock									14,700 (3)	I	GRAT
Com Stock									1,762	I	Spouse as trustee for

Son

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Common Stock	1,762	I	Spouse as trustee for Daughter
Common Stock	9,725.81	I	401(k) as of 9-30-16

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	vative Expiration Date rities (Month/Day/Year) aired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 63.36	11/10/2016		M	20,124	<u>(4)</u>	02/20/2017	Common Stock	20,1

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

FRADKIN STEVEN L 50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET CHICAGO, IL 60603

President/Wealth Management

## **Signatures**

Bradley R. Gabriel, Attorney-in-Fact for Steven L.
Fradkin

11/10/2016

\*\*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) Includes 48,628 shares representing stock units payable automatically on a 1-for-1 basis in shares of the Corporation's common stock.

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- (2) This transaction was effected pursuant to a trading plan adopted in accordance with SEC Rule 10b5-1.
- (3) Reflects the August 31, 2016 transfer of 14,700 shares of the Corporation's common stock from the reporting person's existing trust into a newly created grantor retained annuity trust.
- (4) This option became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/20/2008.

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