

HUNTINGTON INGALLS INDUSTRIES, INC.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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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 *
WELCH JOHN K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HUNTINGTON INGALLS INDUSTRIES, INC. [HII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4101 WASHINGTON AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/11/2015

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA 23607

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock | 12/11/2015 | | A | V Amount (1) 2.504 (2) A Price \$ 126.58 | 636.476 (3) | I | See Footnote |

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)

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| 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WELCH JOHN K 4101 WASHINGTON AVENUE NEWPORT NEWS, VA 23607 | | X | | |

Signatures

Kathy S. Owen, Attorney-in-Fact for John K. Welch
 12/14/2015
 **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) Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc. paid a cash dividend of \$0.50 per share of common stock on December 11, 2015. Pursuant to the terms of the Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc. 2012 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan, shares of common stock representing the dividend were deferred into a stock unit account in a transaction exempt by Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Pursuant to the terms of the Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc. 2012 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan, the number of shares is determined by dividing the aggregate amount of the dividend by the closing price of a share of common stock on the date of the payment of the dividend.
- (3) Represents vested restricted stock units credited to the Reporting Person's account pursuant to Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc.'s 2012 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan. Each director stock unit represents a right to receive one share of Issuer common stock (or cash equivalent value), which will generally become payable within 30 days following the date a non-employee director ceases to provide services as a member of the board of directors.

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