## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Noll Eric						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NASDAQ OMX GROUP, INC. [ NDAQ ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE LIBERTY PLAZA						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2012										helow)		/ice I	below)	эрсспу	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10006					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)																	Person				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deri	vative	e Se	curiti	es A	cqu	ired, I	Dis	posed	of, o	r Ben	eficial	ly Owned	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)							es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									·	Code	v	Amount	unt (A) or (D)		Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	2/2012	2012				A		56,963 <sup>(1)</sup>		Α	\$0	137,138 <sup>(2)</sup>			D						
		Т	able II -									osed of onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Insti 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year				le and 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$19.5									(3)	07	7/22/2019	Com		72,319		72,319	)	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$19.75									(4)	03	3/04/2020	Com		28,362		28,362	2	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$25.28									(5)	03	3/28/2021	Com		33,995		33,995	5	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the settlement of performance share units (PSUs) that were granted under The NASDAQ OMX Group, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan on March 28, 2011. The ultimate amount of shares to be received under the grant depended upon the achievement of performance goals during a one-year performance period from January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011. On February 22, 2012, the Management Compensation Committee of NASDAQ OMX's Board of Directors approved the settlement of the PSU grant. The shares underlying the PSUs will vest as to one-third on December 31, 2012, one-third on December 31, 2013 and one-third on December 31, 2014.
- 2. Represents (i) 22,283 shares of restricted stock, of which 4,783 are vested and (ii) 114,855 shares underlying PSUs, of which 20,939 are vested.
- 3. Options exercisable on July 22, 2013.
- 4. Options exercisable on March 4, 2014.
- 5. Options exercisable on March 28, 2014.

/s/ Edward S. Knight, by power 02/24/2012 of attorney

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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