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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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Amount or Number

Shares

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of

Expiration

11/15/2014

03/04/2020

12/17/2018

03/28/2021

12/13/2016

12/12/2017

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Common Stock

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Date

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Explanation of Responses:								
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.38							

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) 7,000 shares of common stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options, (ii) 183,935 shares or units of restricted stock, of which 78,935 shares are vested, (iii) 135,497 shares underlying PSUs, of which 17,198 shares are vested and (iii) 15,953 shares purchased under the Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

3. Options exercisable.

Employee Stock Option

(Right to Buy) Employee Stock

Option (Right to Buy)

Employee Stock Option

(Right to Buy) Employee Stock

Option

(Right to Buy) Employee Stock

Option (Right to

Buy) Employee \$7.35

\$19.75

\$25.07

\$25.28

\$35.92

4. Options exercisable on March 4, 2014.

5. Options exercisable on December 17, 2012.

6. Options exercisable on March 28, 2014.

7. Options exercisable.

8. Options exercisable.

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

<u>of attorney</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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