

KNIGHT EDWARD S

Form 4

February 25, 2011

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KNIGHT EDWARD S

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
NASDAQ OMX GROUP, INC.
[NDAQ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE LIBERTY PLAZA

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/23/2011

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

NEW YORK, NY 10006

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/23/2011		A		35,159 (1)	A \$ 0	150,596 (2) D

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. 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. F Der Sec (Ins	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35							<u>(3)</u>	11/15/2014	Common Stock	150,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.15							<u>(4)</u>	02/18/2014	Common Stock	75,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.75							<u>(5)</u>	03/04/2020	Common Stock	22,059
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.07							<u>(6)</u>	12/17/2018	Common Stock	39,458
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.92							<u>(7)</u>	12/13/2016	Common Stock	28,801
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.38							<u>(8)</u>	12/12/2017	Common Stock	19,555

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KNIGHT EDWARD S ONE LIBERTY PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10006			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Edward S.
Knight

02/25/2011

Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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Represents the settlement of performance share units (PSUs) that were granted under The NASDAQ OMX Group, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan on March 4, 2010. The ultimate amount of shares to be received under the grant depended upon the achievement of performance

- (1) goals during a one-year performance period from January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010. On February 23, 2011, 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, 2011, one-third on December 31, 2012 and one-third on December 31, 2013.

Represents (i) 12,640 shares of common stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options, (ii) 57,606 shares or units of restricted

- (2) stock of which 7,606 are vested, (iii) 65,089 unvested shares underlying PSUs and (iv) 15,261 shares purchased pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Options vested as to 100%.
- (4) Options vested as to 100%.
- (5) Options exercisable on March 4, 2014.
- (6) Options exercisable on December 17, 2012.
- (7) Options vested as to 100%.
- (8) Options vested as to 100%.

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