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(Last)

(City)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Noll Eric

(First) (Middle)

ONE LIBERTY PLAZA

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NASDAQ OMX GROUP, INC. [NDAQ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NEW YORK, NY 10006

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

(State)

02/23/2011

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

99,405 (2)

Common

Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

Code V Amount (D) Price

36,456 \$0 Α (1)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Pri Deriv Secu (Insti |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 19.5 | | | | | (3) | 07/22/2019 | Common Stock | 72,319 | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 19.75 | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 03/04/2020 | Common Stock | 28,362 | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Noll Eric

ONE LIBERTY PLAZA Executive Vice President

NEW YORK, NY 10006

Signatures

/s/ Edward S. Knight, by power of attorney 02/25/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).

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.

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- (2) Represents (i) 25,000 shares of unvested restricted stock and (ii) 74,405 shares underlying PSUs, 12,650 of which are vested.
- (3) Options exercisable on July 22, 2013.
- (4) Options exercisable on March 4, 2014.

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