KNIGHT EDWARD S

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading KNIGHT EDWARD S Issuer Symbol NASDAQ OMX GROUP, INC. (Check all applicable) [NDAQ] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) ONE LIBERTY PLAZA 02/08/2011 **Executive Vice President** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10006

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
~			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/08/2011		M	7,200	A	\$ 13	120,552	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/08/2011		S	5,115	D	\$ 25.99	115,437 (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)	Secu Acq (A) Disp (D)	urities uired or oosed of er. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13	02/08/2011		M		7,200	(2)	02/14/2011	Common Stock	7,200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35						(3)	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

(Right to Buy)

Option

\$ 45.38

(8) 12/12/2017 Common Stock

19.555

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KNIGHT EDWARD S ONE LIBERTY PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10006

Executive Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Edward S. 02/08/2011 Knight

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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 (i) 12,640 shares of common stock acquired upon exercise of vested stock options, (ii) 57,606 shares or units of restricted stock of which 7,606 are vested, (iii) 29,930 unvested shares underlying PSUs and (iv) 15,261 shares purchased pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Options vested as to 100%.
- (3) Options vested as to 100%.
- (4) Options vested as to 100%.
- Options exercisable on March 4, 2014, subject to accelerated vesting on March 4, 2013, or extension of vesting until March 4, 2015, depending on the achievement of performance goals.
- Options exercisable on December 17, 2012.
- (7) Options vested as to 100%.
- (8) Options vested as to 100%.

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