Cohodes Jeffrey D. Form 4
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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 OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

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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 Cohodes Jeffrey D. Issuer Symbol NORTHERN TRUST CORP (Check all applicable) [NTRS] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET 02/12/2018 **Executive Vice President** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

CHICAGO, IL 60603

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code Amount (D) Price Common 02/12/2018 M 5,084 A 37,936 D 60.85 Stock Common 02/12/2018 6,898 44,834 D M 58.25 Stock \$ Common 02/12/2018 S 6,200 D 98.33 38,634 D Stock (1) \$ Common 99.12 S 5,282 D 33,352 D 02/12/2018 Stock (2) 02/12/2018 S 500 D 32.852 D

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 Common
 \$ 100

 Stock
 (3)

Common Stock 3,809.77 I 401(k) as of 12-31-17

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 proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 60.85	02/12/2018		M	5,084	<u>(4)</u>	02/10/2024	Common Stock	5,084
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 58.25	02/12/2018		M	6,898	<u>(5)</u>	02/16/2026	Common Stock	6,898

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cohodes Jeffrey D.

50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET Executive Vice President

CHICAGO, IL 60603

Signatures

Bradley R. Gabriel, Attorney-In-Fact for Jeffrey D.
Cohodes

02/12/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Price reflects the weighted average sales price from \$97.81 to \$98.80. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the reporting person upon request.
- (2) Price reflects the weighted average sales price from \$98.83 to \$99.76. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the reporting person upon request.
- (3) Price reflects the weighted average sales price from \$99.87 to \$100.15. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the reporting person upon request.
- (4) This option became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/10/2015.
- (5) This option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/16/2017.

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