

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 08, 2015

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

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FORM 8-K  
CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)  
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):  
December 8, 2015 (December 7, 2015)

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NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Virginia<br>(State or Other Jurisdiction<br>of Incorporation)   | 1-8339<br><br>(Commission File Number) | 52-1188014<br><br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification Number)                   |
| Three Commercial Place<br>Norfolk, Virginia<br>23510-9241<br>(Address of principal executive offices) |  | 757-629-2680<br><br>(Registrant's telephone number, including<br>area code) |

No Change  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01. Other Events

On December 7, 2015, Norfolk Southern Corporation (“NS”) issued a press release announcing that former Surface Transportation Board (“STB”) commissioners Francis Mulvey and Charles Nottingham have carefully reviewed voting trust issues and the merger transaction proposed by Canadian Pacific Railway Limited (“CP”) and agree with the NS board of directors that both would be highly unlikely to be approved by the STB.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K:

| Exhibit Number | Description   |
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| 99.1           | Norfolk Southern Corporation press release dated December 7, 2015 |

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SIGNATURES  
NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

/s/ Denise W. Hutson  
Name: Denise W. Hutson  
Title: Corporate Secretary  
Date: December 8, 2015

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