WADDELL FREDERICK H

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WADDELL FREDERICK H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NORTHERN TRUST CORP [NTRS]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
						(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			X Director X Officer (give		% Owner ner (specify	
50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET			0/18/2	•		below) below) Chairman and CEO			
	4.	. If Am	endment, D	ate Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
	F	Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line)				
					X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
CHICAGO, IL 60603						Person	iore man one K	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	l	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Da	ate, if	Transactionr Disposed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/	/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership	
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)	Reported	(I)		
					(A)	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		

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		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(I)	
					or		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/18/2017		M	127,964	A	\$ 52.64	329,483 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	10/18/2017		M	50,000	A	\$ 52.69	379,483 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	10/18/2017		S(2)	141,720	D	\$ 95.52 (3)	237,763 (1)	D	
Common Stock	10/18/2017		S(2)	36,244	D	\$ 96.1 (4)	201,519 (1)	D	
Common Stock							68,570	I	By Trust

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Common Stock	25,014	I	2015 GRAT
Common Stock	28,124	I	2016-1 GRAT
Common Stock	29,087	I	2016-2 GRAT
Common Stock	35,160	I	2017-1 GRAT
Common Stock	23,000	I	2017-2 GRAT
Common Stock	15,506	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	34,759.72	I	401(k) as of 9-30-2017

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. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 52.64	10/18/2017		M	127,964	(5)	02/14/2021	Common Stock	127
Employee Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 52.69	10/18/2017		M	50,000	<u>(6)</u>	02/11/2023	Common Stock	50

Reporting Owners

Relationships **Reporting Owner Name / Address** Director 10% Owner Officer

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WADDELL FREDERICK H
50 SOUTH LASALLE STREET X Chairman and CEO
CHICAGO, IL 60603

Signatures

Bradley R. Gabriel, Attorney-in-Fact for Frederick H. Waddell

10/20/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) Includes 201,399 stock units payable automatically on a 1-for-1 basis in shares of the Corporation's common stock.
- (2) This transaction was effected pursuant to a trading plan adopted in accordance with SEC Rule 10b5-1.
- (3) Price reflects the weighted average sales price from \$95.03 to \$96.02. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the reporting person upon request.
- Price reflects the weighted average sales price from \$96.03 to \$96.29. Information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided by the reporting person upon request.
- (5) This option became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/14/2012.
- (6) This option became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning 2/11/2014.

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