

NORTHERN TRUST CORP
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FRADKIN STEVEN L

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) (Middle)
50 S. LA SALLE STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/18/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President/C&IS

CHICAGO, IL 60603

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	04/18/2013		M		16,666	A	\$ 49.12
Common Stock	04/18/2013		S		16,666	D	\$ 52.2467 <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock ⁽²⁾					62,250		
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The price in Column 4 is the weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$51.97 to \$52.55. Upon request, the reporting person will provide to the SEC staff, the issuer, or any security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within this range.

- (2) Represents stock units payable automatically on a 1-for-1 basis in shares of the Corporation's common stock.
- (3) as of 12/31/2012
- (4) The option became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning February 17, 2005

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