JACOBS JOHN Form 4 October 31, 2011

FORM 4

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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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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **JACOBS JOHN**

> (First) (Middle)

> > (Zip)

ONE LIBERTY PLAZA

NEW YORK, NY 10006

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NASDAQ OMX GROUP, INC. [NDAQ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/27/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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> 10% Owner Other (specify

> > Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 7. Nature of

Person

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4 | sposed | of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | I I (|
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|------------------|-------------|--|---|-------------|
| Common | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 10/27/2011 | | M | 13,245 | A | \$ 13.38 | 174,482 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 10/27/2011 | | S <u>(1)</u> | 13,245 | D | \$ 26 | 161,237 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 10/28/2011 | | M | 12,490 | A | \$ 13.38 | 173,727 | D | |

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Common

Stock, par value \$0.01 10/28/2011 $S_{\underline{}}^{(1)}$ 12,490 D \$ 26 161,237 $\underline{}^{(2)}$ D per share

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) | 2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities B) 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 | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 13.38 | 10/27/2011 | | M | | 13,245 | <u>(3)</u> | 07/24/2012 | Common Stock | 13,245 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 13.38 | 10/28/2011 | | M | | 12,490 | (3) | 07/24/2012 | Common Stock | 12,490 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.35 | | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 11/15/2014 | Common Stock | 200,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 9.15 | | | | | | <u>(5)</u> | 02/18/2014 | Common Stock | 100,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to | \$ 19.75 | | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | 03/04/2020 | Common Stock | 22,059 |

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| Buy) | | | | | |
|--|----------|------------|------------|-----------------|--------|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 25.07 | <u>(7)</u> | 12/17/2018 | Common Stock | 45,528 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 25.28 | <u>(8)</u> | 03/28/2021 | Common Stock | 22,663 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35.92 | <u>(9)</u> | 12/13/2016 | Common Stock | 32,558 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 45.38 | (10) | 12/12/2017 | Common Stock | 22,564 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| JACOBS JOHN | | | | | | | |
| ONE LIBERTY PLAZA | | | Executive Vice President | | | | |
| NEW YORK NY 10006 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Edward S. Knight, by power of attorney 10/31/2011

**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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 4, 2011.
- Represents (i) 14,000 shares acquired upon the exercise of vested stock options, (ii) 67,620 shares or units of restricted stock, of which 32,620 are vested, (iii) 62,888 unvested shares underlying PSUs and (iv) 16,729 shares purchased under the Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Options exercisable as to 100%.
- (4) Options exercisable as to 100%.

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- (5) Options exercisable as to 100%.
- (6) Options exercisable on March 4, 2014.
- (7) Options exercisable on December 17, 2012.
- Options exercisable on March 28, 2015, subject to accelerated vesting on March 28, 2014, or extension of vesting until March 28, 2016, depending on the achievement of performance goals.
- (9) Options exercisable as to 100%.
- (10) Options exercisable as to 100%.

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