NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP Form 8-K August 01, 2016

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

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): August 1, 2016 (July 29, 2016)

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

Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 1-8339 (Commission File Number)

Three Commercial Place Norfolk, Virginia 23510-9241 (Address of principal executive offices)

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)
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- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

52-1188014 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

757-629-2680 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code) Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

Bylaw Amendments

On July 29, 2016, the Board of Directors amended the Bylaws of Norfolk Southern Corporation, effective immediately, to permit shareholders to place their nominees for director on NS's proxy materials for the annual meeting.

The amended Bylaws are attached hereto as Exhibit 3(ii).

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit Number Description

3(ii) The Bylaws of Norfolk Southern Corporation, as amended July 29, 2016.

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/ William A. Galanko Name: William A. Galanko Title: Vice President, Law

Date: August 1, 2016

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