

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 26, 2017

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):  
April 26, 2017 (April 21, 2017)

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

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company.

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Departure of Executive Officer

On April 21, 2017, Marta R. Stewart provided the Board of Directors notice of her intent to retire from her position as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Norfolk Southern effective August 1, 2017. Norfolk Southern issued a press release on April 26, 2017, announcing this action and stated that NS has initiated an internal and external search for her successor. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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
99.1	Press Release

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: April 26, 2017

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release