

PETTERS C MICHAEL
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PETTERS C MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HUNTINGTON INGALLS INDUSTRIES, INC. [HII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4101 WASHINGTON AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/14/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

NEWPORT NEWS, VA 23607

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	08/14/2012		M	V	13,222 A \$ 34.73	122,632 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock	08/14/2012		F		12,135 D \$ 40.49	110,497 ⁽¹⁾	D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 34.73	08/14/2012		M	13,222	(2) 08/20/2012	Common Stock 13,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PETERS C MICHAEL 4101 WASHINGTON AVENUE NEWPORT NEWS, VA 23607	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

Kathy S. Owen, Attorney-in-fact for C. Michael Petters
 Signature: _____ Date: 08/16/2012

**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) Total amount includes 60,240 restricted stock rights granted under the Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc. 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("HII LTISP") on 3/31/2011, with 100% vesting on 3/31/2014. Grant awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).
- (2) This option is fully exercisable.

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