

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 27, 2011

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):  
**January 27, 2011 (January 25, 2011)**

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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**

**(757) 629-2680**

**Norfolk, Virginia**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area  
code)

**23510-9241**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**No Change**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- [ ] 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))

**Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

**Bylaw Amendment**

On January 25, 2011, the Board of Directors amended the Bylaws of Norfolk Southern Corporation, effective May 12, 2011, to decrease the number of directors from 12 to 10. The amended Bylaws are attached hereto as Exhibit 3(ii).

**(d) Exhibits**

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

<b><u>Exhibit Number</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
3(ii)	The Bylaws of Norfolk Southern Corporation, as amended January 25, 2011. 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/ Howard D. McFadden

Name: Howard D. McFadden  
Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: January 27, 2011

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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**Description**

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