NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP Form 8-K October 29, 2015

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):

October 29, 2015 (October 29, 2015)

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

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	(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)	
	Three Commercial Place			
	Norfolk, Virginia			
	23510-9241 (Address of principal executive offices)		29-2680 umber, including area code)	
(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:				
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Item 8.01. Other Events

This Current Report on Form 8-K (this Report) is filed for the purpose of incorporating the contents of this Report in the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-202023) (the Registration Statement) and filing the attached Exhibit No. 12.1 as an exhibit to the Registration Statement.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Report:

Exhibit Number Description

12.1 Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2015 and each of the five fiscal years in the five-year period ended

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Denise W. Hutson Name: Denise W. Hutson Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: October 29, 2015

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