FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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O'Neal, James R. (Last) (First) (Middle) c/o Nordstrom, Inc. 1617 Sixth Avenue					2. Issuer Nam Nordstrom, I			nding Symbol	to 1	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
					3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)			4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 2/18/03	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Executive Vice President						
Seattle, Was	hington 98							5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	<u>X</u> I	 Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Lin X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 					
(City) (S	tate) (Zip)			Table	e I — Non	-Derivative Securiti	es Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)		action	Dis (In	Securities Acq sposed of (D) sstr. 3, 4 & 5) Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)			P /				
Common Stock									2	D					
Common Stock									2	I	By spouse				
Common Stock								1	1,248	I	By 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/0.				
Common Stock									882	I	By spouse in 401(k) Plan, per Plan statement dated 1/31/03				

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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FORM 4 (continued)		Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
			(e.g.,	puts,	calls, warran	ts, option	ıs, conv	vertibl	e securit	ties)				
1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5. Number of D	6. Date		7. Title and Amount		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature	
Derivative	sion or	on or Trans- Deemed Trans- Securities Acquired (A)		ired (A) or	or Exercisable		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect		
Security	Exercise	action Execution action			Disposed of (D)	and Expiration		Securities		Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial	
_	Price of	Date	Date,	Code		Date		(Instr. 3 & 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership	
(Instr. 3)	Derivative	(Month/ Day/ Year)	if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 & 5)		(Month/Day/ Year)					Owned	of	(Instr. 4)
Ì	Security											Following	Deriv-	<u> </u>
						Reported Transaction(s)						ative Security:		
				Code	/ (A)	(D)	Date	Expira-	Title	Amount	1	(Instr. 4)	Direct	
					(1-1)			tion	110.0	or		ľ	(D)	
							cisable	1		Number			or	
							Cisacit			of			Indirect	
										Shares			(I)	
										Shares			(Instr. 4)	
Employee Stock	\$17.70	2/18/03		Α	33,7	21	<u>(1)</u>	2/18/13	Common	33,721		33,721	D	
Option (right to buy)									Stock					
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$17.70	2/18/03		A	7,6	83	.(1).	2/18/13	Common Stock	7,683		7,683	I	By spouse

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Granted under the Nordstrom, Inc. 1997 Employee Stock Option Plan, exercisable in four equal annual installments commencing 2/18/04.

By: /s/ Duane E. Adams, Attorney-in-Fact for James R. O'Neal

2/20/03 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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